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Debtors.
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P R O C E E D I N G S

THE COURT: Be seated, please. Has there been any discussion about the order in which this is going to be presented? There are a number of pending, somewhat complex, motions in limine to be heard today.

MR. TAMBE: Good morning, Jay Tambe on behalf of LBHI. There have been some discussions, Your Honor, about sequencing and collapsing some of these motions into one set of arguments. What we have discussed with Barclays is that the motions concerning Professor Pfleiderer and the motion -- their motion concerning the valuation experts; Professors Zmijewski, Mr. Olvany, Slattery and those individuals will be argued jointly. The movants will go first with respect to those two motions in limine followed by Barclays. We will argue separately the motion in limine concerning Daniel McIsaacs (sic). That's a separate motion in limine.

In terms of time, we are happy to follow Your Honor's guidance on this. We have discussed briefly allocating some time. We don't have complete agreement on time allocation. We'd like an hour and fifteen minutes for the first part for the movants, an hour and fifteen minutes for Barclays for the first part and then roughly fifteen minutes per side for the McIsaac's motion.

THE COURT: Okay. That's fine. Mr. Hume?

MR. HUME: The only amendment to that is if it's

1 agreeable with the trustee, it may be more efficient to also
2 collapse the McIsaac arguments since it's the same expert on
3 two different issues. We'd be prepared to explain our two
4 points, sit down and let them respond.

5 THE COURT: I think it makes sense to collapse it
6 myself. We're talking about the same witness.

7 MR. OXFORD: That's fine with the trustee, Your Honor.

8 THE COURT: Okay.

9 MR. TAMBE: Your Honor, may I approach?

10 THE COURT: Yes.

11 Somebody has very long hair.

12 MR. TAMBE: May it please the Court. Your Honor, Jay
13 Tambe from Jones Day on behalf of Lehman Brothers Holdings,
14 Inc. We're here to present Your Honor with arguments on two
15 sets of motions in limine. There's a motion in limine
16 concerning Professor Pfleiderer and whether Professor
17 Pfleiderer's expert opinion should be excluded and there's a
18 motion filed by Barclays as to whether the testimony and
19 opinions of several of movant's experts should be excluded.
20 And Barclays has moved to exclude in their entirety the
21 opinions expressed by the following seven experts that were
22 proffered by the movants.

23 What I would like to do, Your Honor, would again with
24 the Court's indulgence, is spend maybe ten or fifteen minutes
25 laying out some broad themes that I think apply to the

1 valuation case and how the valuation case fits into all of the
2 various matters the Court has been hearing testimony about over
3 the last several weeks so that we can then gauge whether it's
4 appropriate for Professor Pfleiderer to express the opinions
5 that he professes to express and what is the value and
6 reliability of the opinions that have been expressed by the
7 movant's various experts and to what issues in this case those
8 opinions are relevant.

9 THE COURT: Okay.

10 MR. TAMBE: From the very beginning of these
11 proceedings, Your Honor, one of the issues that the movants
12 have stressed is that full disclosure on a number of matters
13 was not made to the Court when the Court was asked to consider
14 whether or not to approve the asset purchase agreement. And,
15 in particular, one of the positions that we staked out early on
16 in our Rule 60(b) motion and have presented evidence on, and
17 this is page 3 of the materials, Your Honor, that throughout
18 the week information was conveyed to the Court which suggested
19 that Barclays was effectively paying fair value for the assets
20 it was acquiring. And, indeed, when Barclays purported
21 assumption of liabilities as in integral part of the
22 transaction was factored into the mix all information conveyed
23 to the Court indicated that Barclays was providing significant
24 value to the debtors' estates. It has been our position and we
25 believe we have submitted evidence to the fact that the

1 information upon which the Court was asked to rely was simply
2 wrong; it was incomplete.

3 The other aspect of our motion that we have focused on
4 and we submitted evidence on, is what did Barclays actually get
5 in this transaction? And it's not that the long term benefits
6 and the risks that Barclays assumed. Yes, it was buying an
7 ongoing -- assets related to an ongoing business, there were
8 employees involved, there was intellectual property involved,
9 there was a business -- there were business teams that they
10 were taking on. They were taking on risks associated with
11 those business teams and if they were successful in managing
12 and running those business teams, they stood to make a lot of
13 money and if they didn't manage those properly, they -- there
14 were immense risks. That's not what the valuation case is
15 about. The valuation case is about what did Barclays get on
16 day one? When the -- when the sale motion was approved, what
17 did Barclays walk out with on day one? Not was it successful
18 in running these businesses in the six months, the twelve
19 months, the eighteen months, following acquisition. It's did
20 they walk out here, walk out of this courthouse with more value
21 than was disclosed to the Court and more value that was
22 approved by the Court as part of the approval of the sale
23 motion?

24 One of the findings the Court made in the sale order
25 was the following: this is paragraph 19 of the sale order and

1 257 in evidence. "The consideration provided by the purchaser
2 to the debtors and LBI pursuant to the purchase agreement for
3 its purchase of the debtors' interest in the purchased assets
4 constitutes reasonably equivalent value and fair consideration
5 under the Bankruptcy Code." That finding, necessarily, Your
6 Honor, was based on what the Court was told about values and
7 valuation. There's been a lot of discussion in this case about
8 the disclosures that were made in the APA about the seventy
9 billion dollar long position. And we've had testimony from any
10 number of witnesses that that seventy billion dollar number
11 that appeared in the APA that was presented for the Court's
12 consideration was a negotiated number; it was not Lehman's book
13 value although it was purported to be Lehman's book value in
14 the documentation the Court was given.

15 There was a discount, there was a buffer. Witness
16 after witness from the highest levels of management at Barclays
17 has said they intended for there to be a buffer in the
18 transaction. Martin Kelly has testified, yes, we stayed up all
19 night and negotiated a five billion dollar discount. There's
20 no dispute as to the fact that there was a negotiation of
21 values that was never disclosed to the Court.

22 Towards the end of the week, there were disclosures
23 made on the 19th of September. There were disclosures made
24 about what had happened to the assets. What wasn't stated
25 because the lawyers were not fully advised as to what was going

1 on behind the scenes, they were told, well, the assets had
2 declined to a value of 47.4 billion dollars and Barclays is
3 assuming liabilities in the range of 45.5 billion dollars. And
4 that was attributed to market movements and market forces. The
5 evidence that's been presented in this Court, Your Honor, from
6 James Seery and a number of other individuals, is that there
7 was a frantic exercise the morning of the 19th to mark down the
8 value of assets, the liquidation values, to come up with a
9 negotiated number. And that negotiated number which was hashed
10 out on the basis of liquidation values was then factored into
11 that 47.4 billion dollar number presented to the Court.

12 Again, the Court wasn't told the process that had let
13 up to that. The Court wasn't told that there was excess
14 collateral. According to information, that was in Barclays own
15 files as of Friday afternoon that there was roughly seven
16 billion dollars of excess collateral. They may have had doubts
17 about the value of that collateral, they may have believed that
18 the collateral truly wasn't worth that amount, but there was no
19 disclosure made to the Court about those values.

20 If you try and graph out or picture how do these
21 disclosures that were made to the Court on the 17th and the
22 19th, how do they match up with what actually happened? And
23 what we've tried to do on this slide, this is slide 9 in our
24 presentation materials, based on the work that's been done by
25 the various experts by a lot of the documents that we got from

1 Barclays as part of discovery and post 60(b) motion discovery,
2 is fine allocate. Well, what was the Court told versus what
3 actually happened? And both on the 17th and the 19th, if one
4 looked at the numbers that were disclosed to the Court, the
5 impression that one was left with and the only conclusion that
6 one could draw given the information provided, is that there
7 was a total net benefit to the estate as a result of this
8 transaction. So, on -- and in the asset purchase agreement
9 filed with the Court on the 17th and the disclosures made in
10 court on the 17th, if one were to -- if one were to total up
11 the numbers that were given to the Court, you would see a
12 significant net total benefit to the estate. Similarly, even
13 with the movement in the transaction and the representations
14 made in court on the 19th about so-called market movements,
15 there was still a net total benefit to the estate of 1.85
16 billion dollars.

17 What really happened, and this is on acquisition,
18 we're not factoring in stuff that happened post-acquisition
19 where Barclays may have earned profits by successfully managing
20 the business, on day one of acquisition if you properly value
21 the assets that they actually received and you properly valued
22 the liabilities that they actually assumed, what Barclays
23 walked out with on day one was an 11.2 billion dollar day one
24 profit-- an immediate gain to the bottom line. And that, we
25 submit, simply wasn't disclosed to the Court --could not have

1 been factored into the Court's determination of whether there
2 was reasonably equivalent value or fair consideration paid.

3 Moving on, Your Honor, to slide 19 and the acquisition
4 balance sheet, Your Honor has heard testimony from various
5 witnesses as to how the information about what actually
6 transpired gradually began to become known to LBHI, to LBI, to
7 the creditors' committee. And one of the facts, disclosures,
8 that was significant in that process was the publication in
9 February of 2009 of Barclays acquisition balance sheet. And
10 what was presented in that balance sheet was an acquisition
11 gain of about 2.2 billion pounds.

12 There wasn't any detailed backup of support behind a
13 financial statement, but the fact that on acquisition there was
14 the significant gain certainly caught the attention of the
15 movants here and we began to ask even more questions than we
16 had been asking. We discussed with Mr. Romain, Your Honor, I
17 believe it was last week, how you can trace back from the
18 acquisition balance sheet to actually the individual
19 calculations and the individual valuations. It was a period of
20 months and months and months before we got that level of detail
21 to really understand where that gain was coming from.

22 And if you could just put up, Steve, 102-Native?

23 You may recall, Your Honor, maybe with a little bit of
24 pain, we went through this spreadsheet with Mr. Romain and we
25 talked about how numbers on this summary sheet feed into the

1 acquisition balance sheet, the bottom line numbers that get
2 published as part of the annual reports and filing. But that
3 behind these numbers lies the real detail as to what Barclays
4 really did in valuing each piece of collateral.

5 Now, before we have this detail -- you can go back to
6 the slide now -- before we have this detail and understanding
7 of exactly what lay behind the acquisition balance sheet, this
8 is what we were told by Barclays in an effort to explain that
9 gain. And in papers filed in this court, Barclays said the
10 accounting gain is irrelevant to the fairness of the sale
11 transaction and it is not a basis for seeking discovery. The
12 fact that thus far the acquired businesses have performed well
13 and have generated an accounting gain has no bearing on the
14 adequacy of consideration when the transaction closed. Have
15 those business performed poorly or if they perform poorly in
16 the future, Barclays would not be entitled to a purchase price
17 adjustment.

18 Citation, "LBHI is not entitled to a purchase price
19 adjustment based on the positive performance of those
20 businesses thus far under Barclays' management." That was
21 false. The acquisition balance sheet and the gains shown on
22 the acquisition balance sheet had nothing to do with the
23 positive performances of those businesses post-acquisition. It
24 had everything to do with the hidden values, the undisclosed
25 values that Barclays acquired immediately upon acquisition.

1 And, in fact, even the acquisition balance sheet understated
2 the value of those assets and that's what the valuation experts
3 are here to talk about, Your Honor, is to talk about what are
4 really the values or was the acquisition balance sheet and the
5 accounting that was done around the acquisition balance sheet
6 simply the culmination of what began early the week of
7 September 15th as an effort to have a buffer -- to have this
8 buffer to protect Barclays against adverse price movements.
9 And we submit that's exactly what's going on here.

10 The APA is very clear as to when the closing occurred.
11 And 4.1 of the APA states, "Unless otherwise agreed by the
12 parties in writing, the closing shall be deemed effective and
13 all rights, title and interest of seller to be acquired by
14 purchaser thereunder shall be considered to have passed to
15 purchaser as of 12:01 a.m. New York time on the closing date."

16 The closing occurred on the 22nd and by agreement of
17 the parties, 4.1, all title, right and interest passed to
18 Barclays at 12:01 a.m. on Monday morning the 22nd of September.
19 Notwithstanding that, the acquisition balance sheet actually
20 values these securities at various times long after the early
21 morning hours of 12 -- of September 22nd. The JPM assets are
22 valued as of December. Some of the most illiquid principle
23 mortgage trading group assets are valued as of September 30th
24 and even the equities, even the equities which were exchanged,
25 traded for the most part, those are valued not as of the

1 beginning of business on the 22nd, they're valued as of the
2 close of business on the 22nd and that was a deliberate choice
3 because the markets moved against Barclays during the day on
4 the 22nd. And they did not want to include that movement in
5 trading profit and loss post-acquisition. That was thrown into
6 the buffer because there was a buffer for that kind of an
7 adjustment to be thrown into.

8 If I could take a moment to talk about the buffer and
9 why it's important. We know from Mr. Romaine that the
10 acquisition balance sheet wasn't prepared on September 23rd or
11 September 24th, it was prepared over a period of months, five
12 months plus. It finally gets published in February of 2009 and
13 what you have is throughout that process you have traders like
14 Mr. King and Mr. Yang and others who have these assets that
15 have been acquired from Lehman on their trading books and
16 they're managing their profit and loss with respect to those
17 assets. And they're seeing what's happening to these assets in
18 October, in November, in December of 2008. And at the same
19 time, they're being asked to provide input, what liquidity
20 adjustment should we be making as of September 22nd? What
21 price should we be using on these securities as of September
22 22nd? And there are consequences, Your Honor, of making
23 liquidity adjustments and price adjustments in December when
24 you know what that asset is going to be worth in December and
25 ascribe a value to it as of September 22nd. Just a

1 hypothetical bond, X, Y, Z, bond.

2 Say, the Bank of New York, Barclays' collateral agent,
3 have that valued, marked, at a hundred dollars on the 19th of
4 September. In February of 2009, Barclays looks back and
5 assigns a value of seventy-five dollars to that bond. As of
6 December 31 when they're actually holding that bond that's part
7 of that portfolio, it has a value of seventy-five dollars.
8 From a trading perspective, that bond was acquired at seventy-
9 five and as of December end was valued at seventy-five -- zero
10 profit and loss.

11 On the other hand, if they had actually valued it at
12 the Bank of New York custodial mark, then the trader sees an
13 immediate twenty-five dollar loss, trading loss, that the trader
14 is responsible for. If they were able to mark that bond at
15 fifty as opposed to a hundred or seventy-five, then the trader
16 gets a twenty-five dollar profit, trading profit, which he gets
17 to enjoy as part of his bonuses, as part of his performance, or
18 to defray other losses in parts of his portfolio. So, there's
19 a powerful incentive there, Your Honor, to try and manage the
20 valuation and manage the pricing and there was room to do that.
21 There was room to do that because there was excess collateral
22 in the Fed repo. There was an excess value there.

23 And you lay out all of the different valuations that
24 have been done of the Fed repo collateral and the clearance
25 box. And if you look at a custodial prices, there's a slide 31,

1 the Bank of New York price and the JPMorgan price from
2 September 17th, and you look at the prices that have been
3 calculated by movant's experts who have gone through CUSIP by
4 CUSIP and done valuations and then you compare it to Barclays'
5 exit price, you see an undervaluation of a little over five
6 billion dollars with respect to the repo collateral and
7 clearance box assets. If you isolate it just to the repo
8 collateral, it's a-- it's an undervaluation by Barclays of just
9 about five billion dollars.

10 And if you look at a broad range of valuations of what
11 was going on with this collateral during that week and
12 subsequently, your valuations on the Fed repo assets of 50
13 billion, 50.6 billion. If you look at a combined Bank of New
14 York valuations and JPMorgan valuations, that's about 52
15 billion. The movants have independently valued these assets at
16 50.5 billion and then you've got Barclays' price with roughly a
17 5 billion dollar undervaluation which lines up almost exactly
18 with the liquidation analysis that was done by Mr. Seery and
19 the traders at Lehman who then came up with a negotiated price,
20 the negotiated buffer, the buffer that was going to protect
21 Barclays from changes in valuation, market fluctuations. And
22 we submit, Your Honor, the prices that they ultimately have
23 ascribed to these assets, really aren't liquidation values.

24 Now, Barclays would have the Court believe that this
25 was mere coincidence. I think the Court is free to draw its

1 own inferences from testimony, from witnesses, from analysis
2 and from opinions. You're going to hear a lot from -- you have
3 already heard a lot from King and Romain and other witnesses
4 about certain aspects of the valuation. But Barclays is not
5 putting up before Your Honor a single person from the product
6 control group who actually ascribed the prices. No such
7 witness is going to take that witness chair.

8 The traders who provided those prices to the PCG group
9 for them to then put into the acquisition balance sheet, none
10 of those traders have taken that witness chair. They claim
11 that PricewaterhouseCoopers blessed all of this, although you
12 have to take Mr. Romain's word about negative assurances from
13 auditors and what that really means.

14 No one from PwC has been put out to say, yeah, this
15 was the right way to do it and, in fact, these are the right
16 values. No. Instead what they have proposed is that Professor
17 Pfleiderer who spoke to someone, who spoke to folks from PCG
18 Group, who spoke to someone at Barclays, who spoke to PwC is
19 going to bless these valuations and say, well, they look
20 reasonable to me. And we'll get into the details of what's
21 wrong with that type of opinion and that type of testimony from
22 Professor Pfleiderer. Why it is utterly lacking in any
23 expertise. There was really no ground up independent valuation
24 work done. He wasn't allowed to do it. He didn't do it in
25 this case. He may have done it in other cases and that may

1 have persuaded Your Honor to find him to be a credible expert
2 witness. He didn't do that work in this case.

3 Before we move into discussing Professor Pfleiderer
4 and his opinions in detail, I think the point does need to be
5 made that there were valuations of collateral received by
6 Barclays before this Court met on the 19th of September and
7 heard testimony and proffers and statements from lawyers about
8 whether to approve the sale motion. And, in particular, this
9 is a document that has been discussed with a number of
10 witnesses and it's Movant's 200. 9/19, September 19th, e-mail,
11 it's the middle of the day, 11:51; there's a calculation in
12 there. There's a calculation of the repo collateral and with a
13 calculation that totaled up to 52.19 which includes the
14 securities received as well as cash received. And we know that
15 52.19 number is a number that Barclays didn't simply crumple up
16 and throw in a garbage bin. That number shows up in the
17 earliest versions of the acquisition balance sheet. That was a
18 number that was available to Barclays that has been seen by
19 senior management at Barclays on Friday the 19th before they
20 appeared before Your Honor.

21 Mr. Ricci was asked about that document. What I'd
22 like you to agree with me about, sir, is that there's excess
23 collateral in the repo that's something of a cushion, is it
24 not, against, yes, that's correct. They saw that as a cushion.
25 They recognized that as a cushion and I was perfectly

1 consistent with what the negotiators at Barclays have been
2 asked to do which is to make sure, to ensure that there was a
3 cushion in the assets being purchased but no one told this
4 Court about that cushion.

5 Now, we've had testimony from Ms. Leventhal. There
6 were submissions by Ms. Leventhal, affidavits filed in this
7 court by Ms. Leventhal about valuation as well. So, the values
8 that were available to Barclays on September 19th, were values
9 that came from Barclays own custodial agent back in New York.
10 Barclays also had available to it valuations from JPMorgan
11 which was the Fed's custodial agent. And there are laws that
12 govern valuation when the Fed is lending money with a meaning
13 to market value. That was market value. What JPM ascribed to
14 those assets was market value. And Ms. Leventhal and Mr. Moore
15 submitted declarations in this court in December talking about
16 the 50.6 billion dollars of value in the Fed repo collateral.
17 Now, Barclays would have the Court run away from that and say
18 well, that really wasn't 50.6; it was something else.

19 And finally, before we got to Mr. Pfleiderer, one
20 other issue that surfaces time and again in Barclays'
21 presentation and their arguments is, well, the Fed repo is one
22 thing, what we got on Thursday night into Friday was -- was an
23 entirely different animal. We got securities we'd never seen
24 before. And we made some progress with Mr. King, Your Honor,
25 about really sort of taking that broad generic statement apart

1 and saying was it really that different and what was different
2 about it?

3 Well, we've looked at it. We've looked at how much of
4 the collateral overlapped and how much of the price
5 differential, the disagreement that we have with Barclays about
6 valuation can be ascribed to Fed repo collateral; the stuff
7 that overlapped. And how much of that differential can be
8 attributed to the non-overlapping securities. And if you look
9 at that difference, Your Honor, the vast majority of the price
10 differential is not on the new stuff, it's on the stuff that
11 was common to the Fed repo and to Barclays' repo. So, it
12 wasn't because they got new securities that they hadn't seen
13 before that gave them a lot of uncertainty about what they were
14 getting and that's where all the valuation differences were.
15 And, in fact, although Mr. King didn't do this calculation for
16 us, what he told us is the new securities were largely
17 equities, large equity positions. Well, those aren't the tough
18 to value securities, Your Honor. And what this shows, what
19 this analysis shows that was done by our experts, what this
20 shows is most of the price differential is attributable to the
21 portion of the collateral that overlapped between the Fed and
22 the Barclays' repos.

23 The analysis that was done internally by Mr. Yang for
24 Mr. King, again, using Barclays' valuations, also found
25 overlap. And what they found is for the collateral that

1 overlapped, the price difference between JPMorgan and the Bank
2 of New York was less than 0.1 percent. Two independent
3 custodial agents, both of whom have awesome responsibilities in
4 the overnight repo market. You saw the testimony that Mr.
5 Zubrow gave of the FCIC. How carefully JPM was monitoring
6 asset values. How careful JPM was to make sure that they were
7 adequately protected. Well, that's the same JPM, Your Honor,
8 that's valuing securities in that turbulent week for the Fed
9 and their values come in at 0.1 percent different from BoNY for
10 the overlapping piece. And yet, Professor Pfleiderer and
11 Barclays would have this Court disregard those values entirely
12 of no use, of no moment, useless. But let's get to Professor
13 Pfleiderer and what he has done and not done.

14 To put it mildly, Your Honor, all that Professor
15 Pfleiderer has done is validate Barclays' valuation without
16 independently verifying any part of it. He's taken a look at
17 what they've done and he told us in his deposition he spoke to
18 folks, he spoke to Landerman (ph.) and Washdell (ph.) and
19 Teague (ph.); these are individuals who work in the product
20 control group. Had conversations with them. Looked at
21 documents. Took a lot of comfort for the fact that PwC had
22 done an audit that worked. And basically concluded, well,
23 that's a reasonable process and reasonable procedure.

24 What Professor Pfleiderer will not tell you from that
25 witness chair is whether any one of these valuations was

1 actually correct because he didn't do that work. He wasn't
2 asked to do that work. He's got a generic opinion. A laying
3 of hands in the work that was done by Barclays. And he has
4 pronounced it to be fit. He has no expertise involved in that,
5 Judge. There's no analysis that he brought to bear to reach
6 that conclusion. That's not what he regularly does. In fact,
7 he has no trading experience. He never worked in an investment
8 bank or a financial institution. No experience with most of
9 the complex securities that were being valued here. And he
10 lacks familiarity with the types of models that we use. Models
11 that we use both by Barclays and by movant's experts to value
12 some of these securities.

13 I'm not going to minimize his experience, Your Honor,
14 or his significant qualifications. He's a smart man. And when
15 he does the work that requires him to bring to bear his
16 intelligence and his experience and his expertise, he may well
17 qualify as a proper testifying expert but he didn't do that
18 here.

19 Let me go back to 102-N, please.

20 One of the things we talked to Professor Pfleiderer
21 about in his deposition is we went to 102 Native. This is the
22 inner plumbing, the inner workings of the acquisition balance
23 sheet. And we asked them to take a walk with us to some of
24 those tabs just like I've tried to get Mr. Romain to do with
25 us. And we went down to the rate staff -- if you could go

1 there, please. And I said, well, there's a lot of information
2 on there. Did you go and verify any of that information? Did
3 you double-check that? Did you look at the liquidity discounts
4 that were being taken? The prices that were being taken? Why
5 take a price from Column X and not Column Y? And the reality
6 became very evident to us very quickly. He hadn't done any of
7 that work. He hadn't done any of that detail work on any of
8 these CUSIPs. In fact, he declined to profess any view as to
9 whether any particular valuation was correct or incorrect.

10 Can we go back to slide 1, please?

11 And we went through various aspects of that spread
12 sheet to see, well, maybe he looked at this set of CUSIPs or
13 maybe that set of CUSIPs. And here's what he said to us. "I'm
14 certainly not offering the opinion that if one goes CUSIP by
15 CUSIP that I agree with every particular mark. I looked at a
16 process. I looked at the fact that extreme care was taken in
17 the development of these -- that PricewaterhouseCoopers has
18 audited this. And I came to a conclusion that this provided a
19 good upper bound." How could he possibly know that's a good
20 upper bound if he hasn't done the detail work? That's just a
21 guess, Judge, as to what the realizable value of this would be
22 in an orderly but quick, fairly quick sale of this inventory.
23 Again, not a trader. Has no experience in trading. This is a
24 large inventory of CUSIPs, of securities. Doesn't have any
25 expertise. No experience to opine that this would be a good

1 upper bound as to the realizable values.

2 Asked him some more questions about this. Other
3 CUSIPs. "I haven't gone and said here's a CUSIP that I would
4 disagree with because that wasn't the process. I looked at
5 aggregates. I looked at marks that were being placed by Bank
6 of New York and the adjustments that were made and found that
7 those were reasonable estimates of what could be achieved --
8 excuse me -- in an orderly exit and that's my conclusion."
9 There's no analysis. No reliance materials have been turned
10 over to say he did this -- that kind of comparison. He looked
11 at those prices and said, okay, I'm going to go look at some
12 market data and I'm going to compare these two and say, well,
13 is that a reasonable estimate of what could be achieved in an
14 orderly exit? He blessed the process or what he believed was
15 the process followed by the Barclays' traders.

16 We had a discussion about getting another set of
17 CUSIPs and he said, "I neither agree nor disagree with marking
18 them all the way down to zero. I certainly agree that they
19 should be very significantly marked down. Whether you mark
20 them down to zero or two cents or five cents is not something
21 I'd offer an opinion about without doing some more due
22 diligence on it." He didn't do any.

23 When we discussed 102-N -- if we can go back to 102-N,
24 please, Steve -- with Mr. Romain -- and go back to summary
25 sheet, please -- one of the points we focused on was that there

1 are two types of adjustments that are being made to these
2 prices.

3 And if you could highlight D -- it looks like Row 14.

4 If you look at that number, that's a PCG value that is
5 different than the BoNY value and you'll see there's about a
6 three billion dollar -- two and a half billion dollar
7 difference there. But that's not the only adjustment that's
8 being made. There's a liquidity adjustment that's being made
9 as well and that's an adjustment to take prices from mid to
10 bit. In concept, we don't disagree that that is something that
11 should be done, but should be done appropriately. What you
12 would see here there's an additional 1.8 billion dollars of
13 change in value from 42.5 down to 40.6 and that's because of
14 liquidity adjustments. And we asked Professor Pfleiderer,
15 "Well, did you go and examine these liquidity adjustments? How
16 could you satisfy yourself that that was the right liquidity
17 adjustment?" And by way of example, there was a ten percent
18 liquidity adjustment that was taken on certain agency
19 securities. And agency securities are Freddie's, Fannie's,
20 Ginny's -- ten percent. And if you actually go and look to see
21 what the effect is of taking that type of ten percent across
22 the board liquidity discount, it drives the implied yields into
23 the stratosphere. Hundreds of percent implied yields. What
24 that suggests to you is that's not a proper price. There's
25 something wrong with that ten percent adjustment.

1 Other than taking Barclays' word for that ten percent
2 liquidity adjustment being proper, Professor Pfleiderer who
3 undoubtedly probably has the economic tools to try and test
4 that, didn't do it. Didn't do it. Didn't do the analysis,
5 Judge.

6 We've talked on a couple of occasions with a couple of
7 different witnesses about particular large positions where
8 there's a real difference of opinion. The Pine CLO, a
9 structured product which is about a 500 million dollar
10 difference. Well, we asked Professor Pfleiderer about that.
11 I'm not sure I have a slide for this one. But on the Pine CLO,
12 I probed him. I said, "How did you satisfy yourself that this
13 500 million dollar difference was rational and reasonable?
14 What did you do?" And what he told us is, they did some poking
15 around with his analysts and they went on Google. And they
16 looked on Google to see what they could find out about the Pine
17 CLO. That's a shockingly cursory type of analysis that was
18 done on this security where there's a significant difference of
19 views as to how that should have been properly valued. Half a
20 billion dollars, Judge. Even in this case, that's a material
21 amount of money.

22 Same thing for the Giant Stadium bonds. That's a
23 security that was initially taken in for acquisition balance
24 sheet purposes at ten cents on the dollar, forty cents on the
25 dollar. And before the year was out, was marked up to a

1 hundred cents on the dollar. There's your trading profit.

2 For acquisition balance sheet purposes, ten cents; for
3 trading P&L at the end of the year, a hundred cents. Well, we
4 asked Professor Pfleiderer, "What did you do to satisfy
5 yourself that that was reasonable?" Nothing. He has no
6 experience with option rate securities. He has no experience
7 with that type of market. He had no real opinion or analysis
8 to offer to support that. And one of the statements he made in
9 the midst of his deposition and I think really at least to my
10 view, says it all. He said, "It would be rather presumptuous
11 of me to say that Barclay's who is marking this at the actual
12 sale that they realized is wrong." If he thought it was
13 presumptuous of him to conclude that Barclays was wrong, what
14 type of analysis is he doing? Barclays is generally right and
15 it would be presumptuous of me to say that they are wrong.
16 That's not an independent analysis at all, Your Honor. He's
17 simply accepting their methodology and their process without
18 any rigorous testing or analysis.

19 Now, he did say in his deposition, and he took great
20 comfort from the fact that he had spoken with Mr. Landerman,
21 Mr. Teague, Mr. Washdell and these are folks who work in the
22 Product Control Group. So, these are the folks at Barclays who
23 would have worked with Mr. King, Mr. Yang, other traders, in
24 developing the prices that ultimately end up in the acquisition
25 balance sheet. So, we deposed these folks. They won't be

1 taking the stand as far as we know and we asked them, "Well,
2 what do you remember about Pfleiderer -- Professor Pfleiderer?"
3 This is Mr. Teague. Mr. Teague, was responsible for valuing
4 some of the most difficult to value, asset-backed securities,
5 the PMTG assets.

6 "Q. Just to get the best of your recollection as you sit here,
7 you don't have a specific recollection of any e-mail traffic of
8 Professor Pfleiderer, do you, sir?

9 "A. No, I do not.

10 "Q. And do you have any specific recollections of a
11 conversation you've had with Professor Pfleiderer?

12 "A. No, I do not."

13 I asked him some more.

14 "Q. Have you spoken with an individual by the name of
15 Professor Pfleiderer?

16 "A. I believe there's been -- apologies, one moment. He's
17 the -- can you refresh me as to who he is? I know he's done
18 the -- I know he was part of the depositions, correct?"

19 I go on.

20 "Q. Well, you tell me. What does that name mean to you?

21 "A. I'm trying to think. If I've had I've had -- I believe
22 there's been some e-mails involving the professor. I just
23 don't think I've ever had any -- much in the way of
24 conversations with him.

25 "Q. Do you remember as you sit here today a single

1 conversation with Professor Pfleiderer?

2 "THE WITNESS: Can we take a break?

3 "MR. TAMBE: 'No', I said. 'It's not a good time to
4 take a break. I would like you to answer the question.'

5 "A. If anything, it's just me trying to piece it all together.
6 I may have been on calls with the professor. But I think any
7 conversations have been more.

8 "Q Well, if there was any e-mail traffic, where?

9 "A. He may have been in the background. But no, I'm not quite
10 sure to be honest."

11 And that continues. It's not just Mr. Teague. It's
12 Mr. Landerman, Mr. Washdell. These are the folks who actually
13 did the number crunching, who did the back-and-forth with the
14 traders that rolls up into that acquisition balance sheet.
15 Professor Pfleiderer claims to have taken great comfort in
16 having spoken with these folks. Satisfied himself they did a
17 robust job. And yet, they don't seem to have any real
18 recollection of having dealt with him.

19 Well, the other thing Professor Pfleiderer said is,
20 "Well, there were policies and procedures and like any good
21 bank Barclays has extensive policies and procedures and I think
22 those policies and procedures were followed here and that gives
23 me comfort that they got it right." Well, here's the problem
24 with that, Your Honor, while Barclays may have had some
25 policies and procedures, the policies and procedures that were

1 turned over by Mr. -- by Professor Pfleiderer as part of his
2 reliance materials, for the most part postdated the
3 acquisition. And the reason, there's a reason why they
4 postdated the acquisition. A lot of the assets that were
5 acquired by Barclays were assets that they had not previously
6 traded. They did not have policies in place to address the
7 valuation of those types of assets. And, again, Mr. Teague,
8 Mr. Landerman, Mr. Washdell, told us the procedures they used
9 and they weren't following set policies, they were developing
10 ad hoc policies to deal with the Lehman assets with the active
11 assistance of the traders, Mr. King and company.

12 Now, there was another source of potential information
13 that was available to Mr. Teague, Mr. Landerman and
14 Mr. Washdell, which again could have fed into some reliability,
15 some robustness and the analysis. They could have spoken to
16 the traders who actually manage these positions. They didn't
17 and Professor Pfeiderer didn't either. So, the folks who had
18 put on these positions who might know a thing or two about some
19 complex securities, how they were put on by Lehman, you don't
20 have to accept Lehman's mark if you think you want to do the
21 valuation yourself. You don't have to do that. But talk to
22 the traders. They didn't do that.

23 Mr. Teague was asked,
24 "Q. Did any other former Lehman valuation professionals play a
25 role in the acquisition balance sheet valuation?

1 "A. No.

2 "Q. No?

3 "A. No. Didn't.

4 "Q. And were the former Lehman employees that went over to
5 Barclays", -- this is Mr. Landerman, "were they involved in the
6 valuation of the securities that were required?

7 "A. No."

8 "Q. Were they consulted in any way in the process of valuing
9 securities?

10 "A. To a very limited extent."

11 So, you have valuation folks at Barclays upon who
12 Professor Pfleiderer apparently relies who haven't gone to a
13 source of reliable information that they could have used to at
14 least get some information about these securities. Instead
15 they relied on their own traders and we don't know what else
16 they relied on because they are not going to be testifying
17 here. They're not able to tell us with any degree of certainty
18 what exactly they did and what exactly they relied on.

19 We asked them a series of questions; Mr. Landerman,
20 Mr. Teague, Mr. Washdell, to say, okay, you have these new
21 assets, well, did you compare the assets you were getting from
22 Lehman and look to see if Barclays had other similar assets on
23 its books and how it was valuing those assets? Did you do that
24 side-by-side comparison so you were consistent in your
25 valuation? And time again, they said, they didn't do that

1 check. They didn't do that check at all. And, again, to draw
2 the comparison on the contrast between the way the Lehman
3 assets were valued and how assets in the ordinary course at
4 Barclays would be valued, the trader marks would play a
5 significant role. The trader marks would roll up into the
6 financial statements after the group had price tested the
7 trader marks. Well, they didn't ask the Lehman traders for how
8 they would have valued these securities, how they carried these
9 securities.

10 So, we went to yet another proffered basis for
11 Professor Pfleiderer's comfort so that this was a reasonable
12 process and that was PwC audit. And as I mentioned earlier,
13 Your Honor, when the report was issued in January and the
14 reliance materials were turned over, there were very few
15 documents from PwC included in Professor Pfleiderer's reliance
16 materials. But Barclays and Professor Pfleiderer took great
17 comfort from the fact that PwC had done some type of audit.
18 And I asked him that. I asked him at his deposition, "You've
19 taken some comfort in the report that you prepared on the fact
20 that Barclays' valuation of the acquisition of securities was
21 audited by PwC, correct?" And he said, "That is certainly a
22 factor in reaching my conclusion." Mind you, Your Honor, he is
23 not an auditor. He doesn't profess to be providing any kind of
24 an accounting opinion as to the adequacy of an audit. On that
25 issue, he's no different than any one of us in this room who's

1 providing a lay view as to the fact that PwC has done something
2 in reviewing the work done by Barclays. So, we probed a little
3 more. We said,
4 "Q. Well, do you know whether PwC did the type of price check
5 analysis we just talked about with respect to the securities
6 that were sold and for which Barclays used the sales price as
7 the price of which they value the security?"

8 These, Your Honor, are the internal sales that we've
9 talked to a couple of witnesses about.

10 "A. They may have, but I don't have direct knowledge of that.

11 "Q. Well, do you have any reason to believe they did it?

12 "A. I have no reason to believe they did. I have no reason to
13 believe they did not."

14 And I asked them,

15 "Q. Well, did you speak with anyone in PwC in the preparation
16 of your report?

17 "A. I did not."

18 He claims to take great comfort from the fact that PwC
19 was involved. Lays it out in his opinion. Provides for
20 reliance materials that are but a fraction of the materials
21 that are turned over later by PwC. So, without the benefit of
22 any of those materials, he is perfectly comfortable opining, I
23 can take great comfort from PwC's involvement, but hasn't
24 spoken to anyone from PwC in preparing his report.

25 Asked about other matters that PwC may or may not have

1 reviewed.

2 "Q. But you don't know whether this one was reviewed and if
3 they did review it you don't know what they did to review it?

4 "A. Again, I did not as I said before, 'I did not talk to
5 anyone at Pricewaterhouse', so, I don't know. I don't know the
6 specifics."

7 When we were sitting here last week in court, we got
8 yet another declaration from Professor Pfleiderer. And I think
9 that's his third declaration after his report. And now he says
10 in paragraph 5, "Well, I've looked at a whole bunch of
11 additional materials. A large volume. Since submitting my
12 initial report, I have reviewed a large volume of additional
13 documents produced by PwC that support this observation. These
14 documents confirm that PwC perform extensive, detailed,
15 thorough and independent testing of Barclays' marks. Concluded
16 that Barclays' valuation methods were reasonable and found no
17 material understatement of asset values by Barclays."

18 Well, here's what PwC has to say about what they did.
19 SFG, which is a group within Barclays, did not obtain prices
20 from third parties to confirm a market price including external
21 quotes, trades or pricing service data from the agency RMBS,
22 nonagency RMBS securities or other MBS securities; i.e., they
23 took Barclays' word for it.

24 One of movant's experts, Mr. John Garvey, is an
25 accountant. He is going to provide an opinion about accounting

1 issues. And one of the things he is going to talk about, Your
2 Honor, what exactly does that audit mean? Is it really an
3 independent valuation of the assets? And Mr. Garvey will
4 testify it is not. It's a lot of different things, but it's
5 not an independent valuation of the assets.

6 In addition to a lot of other issues that pervade the
7 PwC documents, we know because of this exchange of e-mails
8 between Mr. Romain and PwC that among the things that PwC was
9 being asked to audit, was a valuation of these securities at
10 dates other than the agreed upon contractual date when the
11 assets transferred from Lehman to Barclays. And they took no
12 exception to the use of the 22nd -- they took no exception to
13 the use of December 22nd. Clearly, what they were passing on
14 in whatever depth they passed on these issues, was not a
15 valuation CUSIP by CUSIP off the securities as of 12:01 a.m. on
16 the 22nd of September.

17 There are other opinions that Professor Pfleiderer
18 offers on a variety of other issues including, I believe, he
19 says he has looked at some GFS data and on the basis of the GFS
20 data, he concludes that there was no negotiated five billion
21 dollar discount at inception.

22 So, he's looked at some numbers which suggest to him
23 that there was no five billion dollar discount at inception
24 although Mr. Kelly has testified about that under oath although
25 there are contemporaneously documents from within Lehman

1 talking about the five billion dollar loss against Lehman
2 marks. And although Mr. Varley and Mr. Diamond have admitted
3 that it was essential, a precondition to have a buffer and
4 there was a negotiated price for Lehman's assets early in that
5 week.

6 That opinion that he is offering, Your Honor, is not
7 relevant to any issue. It simply contradicts sworn testimony
8 on the basis of incomplete analysis of data that we would
9 submit is far from complete, it's not reliable and was changed
10 some 7,000 times after the acquisition.

11 Professor Pfleiderer talks about the risks that
12 Barclays assumes. Again, not an issue here, Your Honor. No
13 one here is denying that Barclays did assume some risks. But
14 they made disclosures and the parties made disclosures to this
15 Court about what the fair exchange was. What the consideration
16 was for the assumption of those risks and the acquisition of
17 very valuable assets.

18 No matter what risks they assumed, that is not going
19 to excuse, Your Honor, less than full disclosure, less than a
20 fulsome disclosure on the critical issues Your Honor was asked
21 to pass on as part of the sale motion.

22 The accounting gain on acquisition. All Professor
23 Pfleiderer is doing there, Your Honor, is simply recounting how
24 the acquisition balance sheet was prepared, how the accounting
25 game came about. Again, he is not an accountant. Not his area

1 of expertise. He's simply reading a document that Barclays
2 prepared. Mr. Romain could have done the same thing; should
3 have done the same thing. It gets no more compelling. It gets
4 no more persuasive putting it in the mouth of Professor
5 Pfleiderer. That's not expert opinion.

6 And, finally, I believe intruding on the providence of
7 the Court offers several opinions in the reasonableness of the
8 Court's findings concerning the benefit of the sale
9 transaction. For the reasons stated in our motion papers, we
10 would seek to exclude Professor Pfleiderer's opinion for all
11 those reasons. I will now move onto discuss the motion against
12 the movant's experts.

13 Mr. McIsaac will be dealt with separately. I'll
14 address the first six. And just so we can put some context
15 around these six, the first four, Professors Zmijewski, who is
16 the deputy dean at the Chicago Booth School of Business,
17 Mr. Olvany, Mr. Schwaba and Mr. Slattery are the folks who did
18 valuation work. They actually drilled down into specific
19 CUSIPs. They divided up the portfolio according to their
20 expertise and valued those securities.

21 Mr. Garvey is a CPA. He does not do any valuation but
22 what he does provide opinions on are accounting issues,
23 accounting principles that ought to govern the consideration of
24 valuation and what's appropriate and what's not.

25 And Mr. Schneider is a custom and practice in the

1 industry expert and he can talk about tri-party repo custodial
2 issues. What are -- you know, what is that industry? How do
3 they measure -- how do they come up with prices? What are the
4 relevant risks that these custodial agents take on when they
5 price securities as part of tri-party repos? And, again, by
6 way of context how these different valuations fit together.

7 Professor Zmijewski looked at equities and he also
8 valued the JPM securities. So, that's the first item on slide
9 115 and the last item on slide 115. And the other experts
10 valued the other securities there. And you'll see the number
11 of CUSIPs they valued, the differential between their opinions
12 and the value of these securities versus where Barclays'
13 acquisition balance sheet puts those values and the total
14 undervaluation by Barclays.

15 The opposition to these experts is very broad and
16 initially it is based on legal arguments that these experts
17 should be excluded simply because Barclays is going to prevail
18 on its legal arguments. We've addressed those legal arguments.
19 We're here on an evidentiary hearing, Your Honor. I'm happy to
20 address those arguments further but those have been briefed.
21 Let's talk about what their real objections might be to some of
22 these folks and let's start with Professor Zmijewski.

23 Barclays has not challenged his qualifications. I
24 don't think they could in all good faith. Thirty years of
25 experience in accounting, economics, finance, PhD, MBA,

1 professor of accounting, deputy dean of the Booth School from
2 1984 to the present, founder of an economic consulting firm as
3 well.

4 There's two things that -- three things that Professor
5 Zmijewski will do. He's certainly going to value the
6 particular CUSIPs that he was responsible for; the equities and
7 the JPM valuation. But Professor Zmijewski will also summarize
8 the other valuation outlets. To collect and summarize and
9 present in one place what the overall valuation picture looks
10 like. And in that sense, he will collect the various items
11 that appear on the Barclays opening balance sheet versus how
12 the movants would value those items on the opening balance
13 sheet. And how if you compare that to the representations that
14 were made to the Court on the 19th of September, what is the
15 excess value over and above that which was represented to the
16 Court on the 19th.

17 And starting with the acquisition gain as reported, of
18 what slide 121 simply sets out is how do these numbers all fit
19 together? The undervaluation if the securities that were
20 included in the acquisition balance sheet were properly valued
21 what would the appropriate value be? Other adjustments for
22 unreported assets and transaction costs and overvalued are
23 liabilities assumed. And that's a reference to the comp item,
24 Your Honor. And that's what results in that overall economic
25 gain to Barclays on day one.

1 The complaints against Professor Zmijewski are that
2 he's relied on other testifying experts. Well, each of those
3 other testifying experts will testify, will be subject to
4 cross-examination. As part of his overall presentation of the
5 valuation picture, he is -- he has worked with those experts
6 and he's going to provide Your Honor an overall aggregate
7 picture of what the valuation puzzle looks like. Nothing wrong
8 with doing that. He's perfectly permitted to do that and
9 there's no prejudice to Barclays because they've had every
10 opportunity to depose those folks and they'll get to cross-
11 examine them on the stand.

12 The complaints about his valuation of the JPM
13 inventory. And clearly, one of the objections we have to the
14 value ascribed by Barclays to JPM inventory is that's being
15 valued as of December and not as of the time of the acquisition
16 which is September 2008.

17 Professor Zmijewski also talks about the valuation of
18 the equities. Again, simply correcting for that date as
19 opposed to valuing them at the end of the 22nd, valuing them as
20 of the end of the 19th, the last point in time with his
21 reliable pricing data available that can used as of 12:01 a.m.,
22 that's a 290 million dollar difference. A 290 million dollar
23 swing just with respect to equities on that one day. And
24 they're pushing it from trading the P&L back into acquisition
25 balance accounting.

1 The other aspect of his opinion on equities deals with
2 a bid offer adjustment. And you might recall, Your Honor, we
3 talked about 102-N; there's two types of adjustments. There's
4 a price adjustment or a liquidity adjustment. On equities, the
5 liquidity adjustment was done using data from December to
6 adjust prices from September. There's no policy, no procedure,
7 nothing in Barclays' materials that supports that kind of
8 backdated bid offer adjustment where you use market data from
9 December to try and make adjustments to prices from September.
10 And that's 251 million dollars that results from that
11 adjustment done by Barclays.

12 There are many different ways of looking at the seven
13 billion dollar JPM issue. One of the ways of looking at that
14 issue is I believe the way the Court saw that issue on the
15 22nd. And there was a lot of discussion about valuation at
16 that hearing and here's how the Court described what it was
17 hearing.

18 It said, "I believe, if I'm understanding the
19 transaction correctly that the working premise of it is that
20 the 1.25 billion dollars in cash consideration which is going
21 to Barclays upon approval along with the securities that have
22 been identified, is intended to compensate Barclays diminution
23 in value over time those securities such that Barclays is
24 receiving the same seven billion dollars in value assuming it's
25 approved today and consummated tomorrow." That's a connection

1 Your Honor made based on the evidence presented to Your Honor
2 about the respective values of the securities. "Am I right in
3 understanding that?" Your Honor said. "That's a premise that I
4 have. I just want to confirm it. And then assuming that's
5 correct, I want to know what the current value of the
6 transaction is."

7 No one disabused Your Honor of your understanding that
8 really what was being sought to achieve through the December
9 settlement is providing Barclays the same seven billion dollars
10 in value that they were supposed to get as of September 2008.
11 So, one way of valuing the JPM collateral and cash is that
12 seven billion dollars at closing it was worth seven billion.

13 Professor Zmijewski has done an independent analysis
14 and not merely rested on that issue. He's gone back and taken
15 a look at the prices ascribed by JPMorgan to that collateral as
16 of the 17th, that was the last day that they priced those.
17 Looked at the claim amount, the seven billion dollar claim
18 amount which was the subject of the settlement and he's
19 ascribed a value of 6.6 billion to the package of securities
20 and cash. So, slightly less than the seven billion dollars and
21 what he has done is taken into account price movements between
22 the 17th and the 19th, pre-closing. Pre-closing price
23 movements should properly be adjusted for. He's made that
24 adjustment. Post-closing, once risk of loss has passed to
25 Barclays, that's trading P&L. That is not acquisition

1 accounting -- acquisition valuation. And that shows you, Your
2 Honor, on this slide 127 what the difference is. That's a 1.6
3 billion dollar difference just on that one adjustment.

4 I'm going to skip over some of these slides and get
5 into the details on the equity. Again, the details are in the
6 report. There is a big price differential between value and
7 the equities as of the open on the 22nd versus the close of the
8 22nd. He values them as of the close on the 19th because
9 that's the date of the most reliable market data that's
10 available when the markets -- when you go to value securities
11 at 12:01 a.m. on the 22nd.

12 There's been a lot of talk, by the way, Your Honor,
13 about the markets moving down over the weekend. And Professor
14 Zmijewski looked at that. Not true. For the equities, not
15 true. If you look at world indices, global indices, generally,
16 the markets opened up on Monday compared to the Friday close.
17 It was during the day on Monday that the markets -- the equity
18 markets proceeded to die down but by that time, the deal had
19 closed, risk of loss had passed. And Mr. Washdell put a number
20 on that. What's the impact of taking the 22nd versus the 19th?
21 And he said, 304 million dollars. That's the impact.

22 Just briefly on the bid offer adjustment that was done
23 on the equities, this is using December data to do a bid out --
24 bid offer adjustment back in September. No explanation as to
25 why. The same type of data they used in December was, in fact,

1 available on September 19th and the 22nd. Not used.

2 Market data. Reliable market data. The same type of
3 data they used in December was available in September.

4 We'll move down quickly to the rest of these folks,
5 Your Honor. Mr. Olvany, you looked at corporates, emerging
6 markets, rates, valued 22 different CUSIPs, 300 million dollar
7 differential.

8 Again, his qualifications are not challenged. He's
9 got twenty years of experience in trading, sales, sales
10 management, major financial institutions, Your Honor.

11 We have an in-depth analysis of the Giants Stadium
12 bonds and that is in sharp contrast to what Mr. Teague, the PCG
13 analyst from Barclays said he did. He said he just did a
14 cursory analysis of the Giants Stadium bonds. Barclays didn't
15 have an auction grade business. He didn't dig into it deeply.
16 But on this particular occasion because the BoNY prices were
17 low, they took the BoNY prices. Without any questions asked.
18 No analysis done. No double-checking by Professor Pfleiderer
19 and none by PwC.

20 Look what already happened to the Giants Stadium bond
21 prices post-closing. They've taken in at 58 million, write
22 them off to 308 million a month later and write them off to a
23 hundred percent by the end of December. And Mr. Olvany will
24 testify and tell you why that was improper. Why all of the
25 reasons given for marking up those securities in September and

1 October and December, in fact, the reasons that were known and
2 knowable to the market as of the date of closing.

3 Professor Schwaba -- Mr. Schwaba, he's challenged on
4 qualifications but only with respect to valuing option rate
5 securities. He's got thirty-five years experience, Your Honor,
6 in fixed income and derivative markets. Worked with municipal
7 securities in every position he has held since 1982. He used
8 well-established, well-settled bond pricing methods including
9 looking at actual traded prices on the 19th of September the
10 very day this Court was hearing the sale motion, actual prices
11 in the market to come up with valuation for these securities.

12 Now, the part that they really take issue with,
13 Barclays really takes issue with is his valuation of the
14 auction rates securities where there's a price differential of
15 twenty-five million dollars. What they skipped entirely over
16 is item number 1. Those are seven bonds that Barclays valued
17 at one-tenth of one penny. No reason given for why they're
18 valued at one-tenth of one penny. That's 107 million dollar
19 difference. And until we pointed it out to them, Mr. Teague
20 and the Product Control Group, PricewaterhouseCoopers, the
21 bonded auditors, Professor Pfleiderer who had done extensive
22 analysis, no one spotted this. And what was the reason given?
23 The reason given by Mr. Teague was, well, it was inadvertent.
24 We just simply didn't notice that we'd left a one-tenth of one
25 penny price in the acquisition balance sheet. That's what

1 Mr. Teague had to say. Starting with his deposition testimony
2 at 166, line 17.

3 "Q. So, you basically priced it at close to zero?

4 "A. As a placeholder. We didn't know. We didn't have any
5 data at all in the document.

6 "Q. And if it was meant to be a placeholder, what were your
7 plans for updating that placeholder?

8 "A. I believe that was -- I don't have that in front of me.
9 That was one of the assets that was brought up by the previous
10 deposition. I believe that was just an oversight on our side.

11 "Q. I'm sorry. What was an oversight? Pricing it at one-
12 tenth of one penny was an oversight?

13 "A. Yes. I believe that was an oversight on our part. We had
14 no data to mark those assets.

15 "Q. What have you done to correct that oversight?

16 "A. The oversight itself was brought up after the opening
17 balance sheet was closed. So, if they revalued it, maybe it's
18 a trading profit for whoever had those securities on their
19 books.

20 "Q. When did you become aware of it?" towards the bottom of
21 page 167. "Well, you became aware of it because of the
22 testimony that was provided in this case, right?

23 "A. Correct.

24 "Q. So, we brought it to your attention?

25 "A. That's correct."

1 Finally, Mr. Slattery who valued RMBS, various rates,
2 securities, which are interest rate securities of various
3 types, and various PMTG assets. Again, principal, mortgage
4 trading and group assets. Those are the classifications given
5 to these assets by Barclays.

6 You don't seriously question his qualifications. He's
7 got twenty years of experience in the fixed income industry,
8 value and securities, financial modeling, risk management.
9 Dealt with these types of securities in 2008 when the market
10 was melting. Knew the challenges posed by market movement and
11 brought that experience to bear in valuing the securities he
12 was asked about. And one of the pieces that he focused on was
13 what's the appropriate bid-ask adjustment? What's the
14 appropriate spread? Has Barclays gone too far in taking too
15 wide a bid-ask adjustment? And clearly, we disagree with the
16 bid-ask adjustments that were taken by Barclays. Mr. Slattery
17 sets up what the appropriate analysis is. How the Court should
18 consider it. They may disagree with that, but, Your Honor,
19 that doesn't go to Daubert; that goes to weight. They can
20 argue that case to Your Honor. That's not a reason to exclude
21 him from appearing before Your Honor and giving the Court the
22 benefit of that analysis. No one from Barclays is going to do
23 anything close to what these folks are going to do on
24 valuation.

25 One of the securities he was responsible for pricing

1 was the Pine CLO. And he will go into the details of how that
2 should have been priced. Why it was improper to price it at
3 roughly 500 million dollars below where it was eventually
4 priced. And it has been written up. It was written up by
5 Barclays as of December 31. Again, a trading profit excluded
6 from the acquisition balance sheet. But whichever trader got
7 that Pine CLO on his or her books picked up about a 353 million
8 dollar gain as trading P&L. Again, you can do that, you can
9 assign these kinds of low values but you have a buffer. The
10 buffer that was so essential for senior management to have.

11 In closing, Your Honor, just briefly on Mr. Garvey who
12 is an accountant. Again, no serious challenge to his
13 qualifications. He's going to talk about a couple of key
14 concepts. He's going to testify about what's the appropriate
15 measurement date and why it is appropriate given the APA and
16 given that closing occurred before the markets open on the
17 22nd, why it is appropriate to have valued the securities using
18 data from the close of the 19th.

19 He's going to comment also briefly, Your Honor, on
20 what it is that PwC did and didn't do and whether it, in fact,
21 qualifies as an independent valuation. He is an auditor.
22 That's what he does. That's what he has done. He is qualified
23 to give opinions on accounting issues. Professor Pfleiderer is
24 not.

25 And finally, Mr. Schneider. And Mr. Schneider has

1 extensive experience in dealing with a variety of financial
2 arrangements on Wall Street including repo agreements. Has
3 intimate knowledge of who the main actors are: JPMorgan and
4 the Bank of New York. Has provided an expert opinion on the
5 role played by these custodial agents and pricing securities
6 and the responsibilities they have in making sure they get it
7 right. And if they're going to err. They're not going to err
8 on the side of overvaluing securities. They're going to err on
9 the side of undervaluing securities. So, this notion that
10 those values were inflated by JPMorgan and BoNY simply has no
11 competent evidentiary support. I'm happy to answer any
12 questions the Court might have.

13 THE COURT: None right now. Thank you.

14 MR. TAMBE: Thank you, Your Honor.

15 MR. HUME: Your Honor, would it make sense to take a
16 short break or shall I begin?

17 THE COURT: Let's just proceed.

18 MR. HUME: Good morning, Your Honor. May it please
19 the Court? Hamish Hume from Boies, Schiller representing
20 Barclays.

21 Your Honor, perhaps like Mr. Tambe, I'll begin with just a
22 brief overview before coming to the substance of our motions.
23 We've heard a lot from the movants from the beginning of this
24 case about numbers. High numbers that they believe should
25 apply to the assets versus Barclays' numbers that are lower. I

1 believe the public record will reflect and if the Court permits
2 Professor Pfleiderer to testify he will explain that as the
3 Court may also independently recall, in September 2008 in the
4 middle of that financial crisis there was profound concern
5 around the world amongst regulators, rating agencies, financial
6 press, etcetera, that financial institutions were not marking
7 certain kinds of assets accurately and that rating agencies
8 were not scrutinizing those assets accurately and that that's
9 why this financial bubble was bursting. And the principal
10 culprits were securitized products, illiquid financial
11 products, collateralized loan obligations, collateralized
12 mortgage obligations, asset-backed securities, special uniquely
13 structured products like Pine, which I'll talk more about, that
14 didn't -- couldn't be valued easily, were not being valued
15 properly and were inflating the balance sheets of financial
16 institutions around the world. And I just feel it necessary to
17 note as a threshold matter that it is -- the Court has
18 previously said that part of the nature of this proceeding and
19 the importance of transparency in this is its broader import
20 for financial institution regulation. That this was the --
21 one of the seminal events of the financial crisis and now we
22 have an airing of everything that happened in this portion of
23 that tragedy of the failure of Lehman and the Barclays'
24 acquisition. And it is at least note -- worth noting that at
25 least to me and I think to the Barclays' side, there is some

1 sense if irony that from that posture of September 2, 2008 and
2 concern that all these assets were overvalued, Barclays is now
3 being sued for ten billion dollars, eleven billion dollars,
4 thirteen billion dollars, eight billion dollars, the number
5 keeps changing but it's huge because we supposedly marked the
6 assets down too low and our auditors just didn't notice. It's
7 not true. As Gary Romain told you it would require a collusion
8 and conspiracy that even they are not willing to allege. They
9 just like to insinuate it.

10 Now, with that beginning, I also would like to -- we
11 do have a demonstrative binder which I'd like to hand out. I
12 would also like to take the Court back to where we were when we
13 hired Professor Pfleiderer and why we hired him, what we asked
14 him to do and what he's done.

15 THE COURT: I have something called the "bench mama
16 binder". I didn't look inside it, though.

17 MR. HUME: The first slide is really an overview, so,
18 we can go to the second slide.

19 In September of 2009, the movant's filed their Rule 60
20 motions and we really heard a recitation of their major themes
21 from the beginning of Mr. Tambe's presentation. They alleged
22 there was a discount, there was an unjustified windfall. The
23 economics of the sale were not adequately disclosed and there
24 were lots of allegations about values of the assets using
25 things like what Mr. Tambe showed you: An e-mail saying fifty-

1 two, an e-mail that summarized BoNY marks and the seven
2 billion, the seven billion that never came, the BoNY marks that
3 Barclays never ever thought were reliable, an e-mail that the
4 author of which gave an affidavit saying these were not our
5 valuation. He was deposed. His deposition is designated. We
6 can bring him in. He knows nothing more than that he just
7 forwarded on that information. But there were lots of numbers.
8 Lots of allegations.

9 And the allegations, the second bullet point, did not
10 rely upon any expert opinion. They'd have these CUSIP lists as
11 we've shown the Court throughout the trial since the closing,
12 since before the closing. They didn't hire experts then to
13 value it. They didn't -- the allegations in the Rule 60(b)
14 didn't rely on any independent value location of the assets or
15 the values actually booked on the balance sheet which have been
16 audited by PwC. Instead, the allegations were there was five
17 billion dollar discount. There were these e-mails. There were
18 deposition testimony. It was confused but they had a story and
19 they told it. There was a five billion dollar discount at the
20 beginning of the deal and then it was delivered through the
21 repo. And then there's a 4.1 billion dollar gain and that came
22 from the discount.

23 They virtually ignored -- except in one sentence in
24 paragraph 13 and one statement in a footnote in note 24 in an
25 eighty-page brief -- they virtually ignored the fact that our

1 acquisition balance sheet actually showed values for the
2 securities much lower than their theory explained. And that
3 they had been told that the value of the repo collateral was
4 actually 45.5 billion, the clearance box assets another billion
5 and a half. It didn't all add up to fifty. The reason we had
6 a gain, as the Court was told by Gary Romain, was there was net
7 value in the exchange traded derivatives. Net value that
8 Barclays did not and could not know about at the time of the
9 closing that movants did not know about, that was the
10 consequence of Barclays taking on the risk of those positions
11 and they're being margin there. And half of the gain related
12 to these intangibles. They didn't address any of that. They
13 ignored it in a way that made it seem like they were going to
14 play fast and loose with the numbers -- an expression I used
15 for this Court the first time I appeared before you in this
16 matter. So, we hire an expert to explain the big picture and
17 what had actually happened to actually look at the numbers and
18 explain them to the Court. We did, of course, believe the
19 Court should dismiss this proceeding as a matter of law but we
20 thought if it was going to come to evidence, expert testimony
21 might be helpful. And I should note that in discussing the
22 scheduling, we said, now, are you guys going to hire experts to
23 prove up these allegations? Because you're the plaintiff. You
24 should have your experts go first and then we'll have our
25 experts.

1 The Court may remember there was a lot jostling about
2 scheduling. That didn't work for them. They said, what do we
3 need experts for? We said, well, you're saying a lot of things
4 about numbers. We think we better make sure you know what
5 you're talking about because it's not the numbers we have on
6 our acquisition balance sheet.

7 They didn't make this case then that we had lied on
8 our acquisition balance sheet. It's not what they were saying.
9 They were just saying there was an e-mail with the number
10 fifty-two. We said, okay. We still think you all ought to
11 have -- if you're going to have experts you should go first.
12 They refused. So, we went first. We hired Professor
13 Pfleiderer. He put his report out first which was unusual
14 given that they're the plaintiff. And here's what he did -- if
15 we could go to tab 4. I'm going to skip over his
16 qualifications because I don't actually think there's seriously
17 an issue.

18 If he's allowed to testify, Your Honor, Professor
19 Pfleiderer has done a number of analyses that will assist this
20 Court in evaluating the persistent claim from movants that
21 there was a five billion discount in the repo collateral. What
22 he has done is look at what was actually received, review it,
23 and analyze why it was that BoNY marks could or couldn't be
24 used. And I think before I get into the details, I think the
25 big picture difference of perspective that we have from what

1 the movants have is what Professor Pfleiderer's approach was is
2 to say what were these assets? What types of assets were they?
3 Does it make sense that you can't just take the BoNY marks or
4 is there some across the board five billion dollar write-down
5 as movants claim? That was his analysis.

6 What he found and what he has done numerous analyses
7 to demonstrate is that over sixty-six percent of the assets
8 that came over are illiquid meaning Level 2 or Level 3 assets.
9 Assets which it is impossible to value based upon a daily
10 transaction price. There is no market that you can just look
11 to and say what's it trading it? It has to be valued through
12 modeling. And many of them the modeling is not easy to define.
13 There are some third-party pricing sources which even movant's
14 experts don't believe are completely accurate. There's also an
15 extremely important difference between how the repo custodians
16 like BoNY value these marks by marking them at the mid point
17 between the bid and the ask and marking them at the bid or exit
18 price as Barclays was required to do. Professor Pfleiderer
19 explains that.

20 The difference between mid and bid is going to be very
21 small for assets that are liquid. S&P 500 stocks at a normal
22 market. For Level 2 or Level 3 assets, mortgage backed
23 securities, collateralized mortgage obligations and the like,
24 it could be a significant bid-ask. For an asset that doesn't
25 trade at all, it can be an enormous bid-ask. You don't really

1 know what anyone will pay for it.

2 I would like to just briefly show Your Honor some of
3 this analysis in Professor Pfleiderer's report. If I could --
4 I cite you a range of paragraphs where he does this but let's
5 jump if we could to his report and I'd like to show Appendix 4
6 and then Appendix 6. In fact, maybe let's start with Appendix
7 6. And what this analysis is going to show, Your Honor, is the
8 work Professor Pfleiderer did to analyze the difference between
9 the BoNY marks and the Barclays' marks to try to understand why
10 there was a difference and see whether it was justified or not
11 justified. That is the nature of his expert testimony. If we
12 have a technical problem, I can move on. Well, it's Appendix
13 6, so, you need to look at the page number up there.

14 Let's move on and we'll come back to it later. The
15 point that I wanted to show Your Honor is that in his
16 appendices to his reports, he lists out all the different kinds
17 of assets that came over and where the biggest discrepancies
18 were between BoNY marks and Barclays' marks to see was it just
19 uniform, was it just a hatchet job, let's knock five billion
20 off or do you see very small differences on assets that are
21 easy to value and very large differences on some of the assets
22 that are most illiquid and most difficult to value. And that
23 is what he sees and that is what his opinion will show and
24 demonstrate and explain to the Court.

25 He's also done a number of analyses, as I've said, on

1 the nature of the illiquid assets, what's Level 1 versus Level
2 2 versus Level 3, which he has recently supplemented and is
3 very relevant to determining how easy it is to value these
4 assets.

5 Let's go to the next slide, tab 5. Still to this day,
6 Your Honor, the movants are telling you that the reference in
7 the APA to seventy billion dollars of long positions -- to a
8 book value of seventy billion was overstated by five billion
9 dollars. Professor Pfleiderer, unlike their experts, has
10 actually tried to analyze the Lehman data to determine whether
11 that is true. Their experts have not -- none of their experts
12 have looked at this. It's not true. Professor Pfleiderer is
13 the person who found out that it's not true by looking at the
14 data movants requests from his GFS system which hadn't even
15 occurred to us to look at. They brought it to our attention
16 and Professor Pfleiderer reviewed it and said this doesn't --
17 this completely undermines what they're saying. Let's get all
18 the data. Let's get it for every day. He got it. He analyzed
19 it and he showed that it shows exactly the opposite. It shows
20 that the long positions were actually lower than seventy
21 billion dollars on September 12th, 15th and 16th and the rest
22 of the week. For every day that week.

23 And can we show this? Can we show his supp -- his
24 declaration of April 23rd and the exhibits -- the first exhibit
25 to it? Is that possible to pull up? Okay. Now, can we show

1 the exhibits?

2 (Pause)

3 MR. HUME: Okay. There it is. Now, this is the GFS
4 data that Professor Pfleiderer had analyzed and summarized.
5 And the total on the bottom shows the total for everything in
6 the GFS system in the Lehman inventory by its GAAP asset class.
7 It includes a line item for mortgages. As Your Honor will
8 recall from the other times we've gone through this evidence
9 with witnesses, the mortgages were not included in the APA's
10 definition of the long positions. And there was a good reason
11 for that. They were the hardest and most illiquid assets.
12 That's where most of the problems were in that original
13 inventory. They were too difficult to value. Barclays thought
14 they were worth way less than Lehman, like half as much. They
15 excluded half of them from the deal altogether and thought the
16 other half was still overvalued. They are not in the long
17 positions. If you pull out the 6.5 from the September 12th
18 column for this inventory, you're left with inventory of about
19 fifty-six billion. In fact, less than fifty-six billion. Now
20 the one thing this doesn't include is the line item in the long
21 positions called "Collateralized Short Term Agreements". Those
22 are essentially loan repayments for repos that Barclays has
23 done where it is owed money from counterparties. It's not
24 securities that can be remarked. There is actually no record
25 evidence that there was any intention done to remarking them

1 and I don't think they can be remarked. They are listed on
2 every document as ten billion dollars. So if you add ten but
3 subtract mortgages from every number on this page, you are at
4 less than seventy. The actual Lehman marks for the long
5 positions were not higher than seventy billion dollars.
6 Movants keep telling you that they were and there's no actual
7 data showing that they were. They say well, forget about the
8 data. Don't look at the data. Exclude the data and exclude
9 the expert who looked at the data. That's what they want the
10 Court to do because Martin Kelly wrote an e-mail at 5 a.m.
11 saying there was a five billion dollar loss. Five billion
12 dollar loss. He didn't say, as Mr. Tambe said, we stayed up
13 all night negotiating a discount. He said, we stayed up all
14 night, the deal's done and there's a five billion dollar all
15 and economic loss versus our marks. Which marks was he talking
16 about? I don't know. September 12th? Before it's actually --
17 before the mortgages are included or excluded? I don't know.
18 Is he talking about the fact that the mortgages are not going
19 to be worth 6.5 in this deal? I don't know. But he's not
20 talking about long positions as defined in the APA being worth
21 five billion more than seventy billion because the data doesn't
22 show that.

23 And it's not that we are contradicting the testimony
24 of the witnesses. Can we show the excerpt from Bart McDade's
25 trial testimony from April 27th, 2010? Bart McDade, who

1 testified extensively about this five billion, said it wasn't a
2 discount, said there was a negotiation over changing values and
3 the values had to be updated and the marks were stale. That
4 was his testimony. He said this:

5 "Q. Mr. McDade, if you as the president of Lehman Brothers
6 wanted to know what the difference was between the valuation
7 number estimating the value of Lehman assets and the Friday
8 night Lehman marks estimating the value of those same assets,
9 am I correct that you would compare the valuation number with
10 the results from the GFS system?

11 "A. Yes."

12 That's what Bart McDade said in trial. Movants don't
13 want you to see the GFS data.

14 We're grateful that Your Honor has allowed the data in
15 and we hope you will allow Professor Pfleiderer to come in to
16 explain it including to explain this latest allegation that
17 there were 7,000 adjustments which Professor Pfleiderer
18 addresses in a declaration he submitted on September 1st where
19 he explains that he analyzed those adjustments: (a) they were
20 made during an Alvarez & Marsal live environment. Movants made
21 them in October; and (b) the sum total of all those adjustments
22 was approximately a hundred million dollars not five billion.
23 Professor Pfleiderer should be allowed to come in to explain
24 this to you.

25 Please move to slide 6, if we can go back. The other

1 thing Professor Pfleiderer has done with the GFS data is to
2 analyze the extent to which Lehman was updating the marks, an
3 issue that's been disputed and discussed in this trial. As you
4 remember, there's an Alvarez & Marsal presentation from October
5 2008 saying what the marks were, a negotiated reduction of five
6 billion from stale marks. It's a document we've emphasized to
7 the Court to show that movants' theory and beliefs of a five
8 billion dollar discount have been known to them since the week
9 of the sale. Creditors' committee have similar documents. But
10 then they say to explain away, they say, well, wait a minute.
11 The marks weren't really stale. We were deceived because the
12 marks were not stale.

13 Well, Professor Pfleiderer has analyzed the extent to
14 which the marks were being updated. Can we show briefly -- the
15 easiest way to do this may be -- he did it in his original
16 report, Your Honor, and then he had to slightly tweak very
17 nonmaterial clerical errors. And so I might like to just show
18 the revised Exhibits 4 and 5 which are again attached to that
19 same September 1 declaration. But again, this is -- was an
20 analysis done in his January 2010 report.

21 I don't know if it's possible to blow that chart up a
22 little bit.

23 Professor Pfleiderer looked at some of the more liquid
24 assets and looked at the extent to which their marks were
25 changing on the GFS system. Look, for example, at Ceago (ph.),

1 the first one.

2 Can you highlight that first line?

3 It does have a markup .435 on the 12th then .345 on
4 the 15th, .345 on the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th. It doesn't
5 change. Bart McDade said the marks are not getting regularly
6 updated that week. Movants contest that. This data seems to
7 support it at least for certain kinds of assets.

8 And if you just look down each column. The next one,
9 LCOR Alexandria LLC, .117 from the 12th all the way through to
10 the end of the next week. Doesn't change. Most of these just
11 do not change. Insurance note cap taxable, .922, doesn't
12 change. This is in the worst week of the financial crisis
13 after Lehman files for bankruptcy and the marks aren't
14 changing. He calls this stickiness. He's done an extensive
15 analysis of it. It's relevant to the Court's understanding of
16 the facts and the assertions movants have made. We hope the
17 Court will allow him to come in and explain it.

18 Let's go to tab 7. These allegations -- again, I'd
19 just like to emphasize. Professor Pfleiderer's report was
20 broader than defending the acquisition balance sheet valuations
21 because they didn't attack those valuations. He did look at
22 them 'cause he wanted to make sure that when he said there was
23 no five billion dollar discount in the repo, he was confirming
24 that Barclays valuations were accurate and that the reason they
25 were different from BoNY was justified.

1 But he also gave broader opinions about whether this
2 was a fair transaction, whether we did pay fair value. What
3 does it mean to pay fair value in a transaction like this? Was
4 the fact that we had a gain and negative goodwill evidence that
5 we did not pay fair value? And on this, I would like to just
6 pause a moment, Your Honor. I think there is a danger of what
7 I believe is a naïve presentation here, that if Barclays had an
8 acquisition gain movants want the Court to believe, that means
9 value transferred from the estate to Barclays. And they say,
10 shock, that's not what was supposed to happen; it was supposed
11 to be the other way around. That really is missing the point
12 of the transaction and everything the Court was told at the
13 time about the assets in the transaction. The asset values
14 were plummeting. They were disintegrating. And the business
15 was disintegrating. Without an acquisition, you have no
16 traders to manage the assets. The market will implode even
17 worse than it was imploding. And those illiquid securities are
18 not going to fetch forty-five or forty-six or anything close to
19 that in cash to be purchased. They're going to be worth in the
20 thirties or less. They're going to go way down.

21 So the notion that this was value the estate had that
22 it just transferred over to Barclays, no one knew about it and
23 it was a gift, is completely misleading and false. And
24 Professor Pfleiderer will explain that based on his
25 understanding of financial markets and his expertise in

1 valuation and the financial industry.

2 Let's go to the next tab, please. Now, I'd like to
3 respond briefly to the experts' criticisms before I move on to
4 our criticisms of their experts. They say that he was not
5 personally involved, that he just rubberstamps what Barclays
6 did. As I've tried to show and will show with going through
7 his report, he does an extensive analysis of the data. He went
8 through all of the spreadsheets. He understands the nature of
9 the assets and his purpose was to analyze which assets were
10 marked differently from BoNY, why they were marked differently
11 and did it withstand his analysis as a valuation expert? And
12 it did.

13 If we can go to tab 10. The movants have suggested
14 that if all he did -- if all Professor Pfleiderer is doing is
15 giving the Court an opinion that the Barclays' valuation
16 methods were reasonable, that somehow makes it inadmissible,
17 that he has to independently come up with a number, specific
18 number, in order for it to be admissible. That is not correct.
19 There is not a single case that holds that and there are
20 legions of cases saying that you can come in to testify as to a
21 methodology. We give an example here. Perhaps it's corny but
22 a doctor can come in and explain that another doctor acted
23 reasonably. He doesn't have to redo the operation. He can say
24 what the conduct that was done was within the range of what a
25 reasonable doctor would do. Professor Pfleiderer is saying the

1 valuations here are within a reasonable range. These are
2 accurate fair market values. There was no effort here to hide
3 five billion dollars of gain. And he's looked at it from
4 multiple different perspectives. That is admissible testimony.
5 There's no case saying you have to come up with your own
6 number. And in fact, it is, in this circumstance, artificial
7 to try to come up with your own number when you're valuing
8 assets over two-thirds of which were not trading at the time.
9 And it is not accurate that movants' experts do come up with an
10 independent valuation. They simply take Barclays' valuation
11 methods and tweak them and revise them, move them to another
12 date. They use the same data. They use the same concepts of
13 adjusting from mid to bid. They just tweak the numbers a
14 little bit to inflate them. That's not really an independent
15 valuation; it's just inflating the numbers. So we have cases
16 here showing valuation methodology opinions are admissible.

17 Let's flip to slide 13. Professor Pfleiderer is also
18 criticized for relying on staff. There are lots of quotes that
19 you were shown of Barclays' valuation professionals not
20 remembering his name, saying I think the professor was on the
21 call, I don't know. Yes. It's true. Professor Pfleiderer
22 used staff to gather data, to process data. It's no question
23 that happened. These interviews that were conducted, he was on
24 the phone. I know that. But there were also other people in
25 the room and on the phone. His staff, working to gather the

1 data to interview the witnesses. He testified in his
2 deposition that he asked questions and his staff asked
3 questions. The valuation professionals at Barclays didn't
4 distinguish between who was asking the questions, who was the
5 professor, who's the testifying expert. They weren't geared up
6 to be litigation witnesses. They were geared up to answer
7 questions candidly from people who were asking them. The law
8 clearly allows Professor Pfleiderer to use staff to assist him.
9 And, in fact, it's completely standard practice that he did so.

10 We cite to you on slide 14 numerous deposition quotes
11 where Professor Pfleiderer explains the extensive review that
12 he did of the backup spreadsheets underlying Barclays'
13 valuation. He combs through those spreadsheets. Mr. Tambe
14 cites the deposition testimony where he says I didn't look at
15 it CUSIP by CUSIP. What he says is, I looked at it column by
16 column. I looked at the structure of the calculations. I
17 looked at the types of CUSIPs and I looked at the nature of the
18 calculations. And he did it himself personally reviewing the
19 native format of all of those backup spreadsheets.

20 I'm going to flip through the next few so I can move
21 on to movants' experts. I think I've covered what's in slide
22 15 and 16. And let me move on then to movants' valuation
23 experts.

24 We have three different arguments for why they should
25 be excluded. The first is what we believe is the illogical and

1 self-contradictory nature of their methodologies and unreliable
2 methods. It's precisely because they purport to do these
3 independent valuations and yet don't and use methods that are
4 unreliable we think they are actually across the Daubert line
5 when Professor Pfleiderer, in a more cautious opinion, is not.

6 The second two bullets relate to our legal arguments
7 which I will come back to, Your Honor, after covering their
8 methods.

9 Tab 18. There's an illogical disconnect between what
10 their experts have said in their reports, what Mr. Tambe is
11 insinuating or maybe explicitly saying this morning and what
12 they say in deposition. Are the movants saying or not saying
13 that when Barclays published its acquisition balance sheet,
14 audited by PwC, filed with the Securities Exchange Commission,
15 filed with the FSA, are they saying or not saying that it was a
16 material understatement by five billion dollars. That's a very
17 serious allegation. Very serious. And there's no question
18 five billion dollars would be material. On a gain of four
19 billion, five billion would more than double the gain. There's
20 no accountant who's going to say that's not material. And yet
21 they won't say it. They say it and then they don't say it.
22 They insinuate it and then they deny it. They're not willing
23 to say Barclays lie but they want the Court to kind of believe
24 they lied. It's not true.

25 In his expert report, the expert accountant says the

1 acquisition balance sheet is not representative of the values
2 Barclays received. I asked him in deposition, "Just so the
3 question is clear, my question is do you have an opinion, Mr.
4 Garvey, as to whether Barclays materially misstated the value
5 of the assets acquired in the Lehman Brothers acquisition on
6 its Form 6K filed with the SEC in February 2009?"

7 "A. My opinions are in my report. I don't have that opinion."

8 Came back later in the deposition -- there's ellipses
9 missing between these Q and As, just to make sure that there
10 wasn't a hang-up on this material point, I said, "I'm asking
11 you, are you giving an opinion that Barclays filed Form 6K with
12 the SEC in a manner that understated the value of the assets it
13 acquired from Lehman?" In the deposition, I previously made
14 clear, I want to remove the word "materially" now from my
15 question. So I asked it that way. His answer: "So let me
16 understand it. So whether or not if it's off by one dollar?
17 Is that what you're asking me?"

18 "Q. Do you know, do you have an opinion, whether it's off,
19 whether it's inaccurate, the SEC form that was filed by
20 Barclays?

21 "A. I did not undertake to have an opinion on the accuracy of
22 this filing."

23 Their lead expert, who summarizes all of the valuation
24 work they did, Professor Zmijewski, said the same thing. It's
25 illogical. It doesn't make sense. It's self-contradictory.

1 And that is a grounds for exclusion.

2 Tab 19 is a quote from movant's reply brief in support
3 of their motion to exclude Professor Pfleiderer. But it's an
4 encapsulation of what they've done to find five billion dollars
5 of write-down. I think they think it's helpful for them to lay
6 it out for the Court. I think it's helpful to lay it out for
7 the Court because I think it shows that it's a reverse
8 engineering -- tweak this, tweak that, tweak the next thing and
9 we can come up with five billion. It is not -- they've had
10 discovery of our valuation methods, discovery of all our
11 acquisition balance sheets, e-mails, all the PwC documents.
12 They haven't found a single document that says make sure you
13 write it down by five million (sic). Get it below fair market
14 value. Nothing like that. What they do is reverse engineer to
15 mark it up.

16 And the first thing they do, which I think is the best
17 evidence that they're not even talking about real economic
18 value here -- they're just trying to get a high number -- is
19 they quarrel with the valuation date which accounts for almost
20 half the five billion dollar difference. But the biggest piece
21 of that -- and I apologize. This footnote is hard to read.
22 It's their footnote. I don't know if you can blow it up. The
23 biggest piece of that 2.3 billion dollars is -- relates to the
24 December 2008 settlement, which is 1.65 billion dollars of the
25 total difference. The last thing in the footnote, "See

1 Barclays' use of a December 22 date, three months after the
2 sale transaction, to value the JPM inventory." 1.675 billion.
3 None of their experts, Judge -- none of their experts
4 are saying that what we actually got on December 22nd, when
5 this Court approved that settlement, was worth more on that day
6 than what we booked. What we booked was three and three-
7 quarters billion in securities, one and a quarter billion in
8 cash. Five billion. Not exactly. A little less than that.
9 Maybe another numerical coincidence but it was basically five
10 billion dollars transferred to Barclays in December 2008. No
11 one quarrels that that's what it was worth in December. No one
12 quarrels that before that, we didn't have it. We had nothing.
13 We had a dispute over seven billion that we thought we'd been
14 promised. And the Court's heard a lot about that dispute and
15 how it was resolved. The claim was actually for seven billion
16 in cash. But they say no. What you have to do is take the
17 securities you got in December and figure out what they worth
18 in September and that's the value you're stuck with for
19 purposes of this lawsuit. I don't know if they think for
20 purposes of the acquisition balance sheet. But for purposes of
21 this lawsuit, they want to say that's what we got. But we
22 didn't get it. We didn't have it. And their experts even
23 say -- I asked Mr. Garvey: "Well, what if the settlement had
24 given us some stock -- we just got the same value, 3.75
25 billion in assets that happened to have been worth five times

1 that in September, fifteen or twenty billion. Should that be
2 what we booked? Should that be what is considered for the
3 windfall?"

4 "A. Yes. Yes." That's what you're stuck with. It doesn't
5 make any sense.

6 The rest of the valuation issues I'm going to come to.
7 The liquidity discount is based on their expert, Slattery,
8 which I will summarize. And then they picked two extremely
9 illiquid, difficult-to-value securities. And on both of them,
10 it's true, by the end of 2008, Barclays had marked them up from
11 what they had marked them at for September 22nd. Their experts
12 marked them even higher and say -- rely upon things that
13 Barclays -- events that occurred after September 22nd that
14 changed the value of them and say well, that ought to all
15 relate back to September 22nd. That's improper valuation
16 methodology by their own experts' admission.

17 Let me go to tab 20, please. Here's the -- putting
18 aside the JPMorgan December 2008 settlement, the valuation date
19 for about a 300 million dollar portion of their inflation of
20 our values relates to this change from September 19th to 22nd.
21 Their expert, Mr. Garvey, is their accounting expert. He is
22 there to answer to Mr. Romain whom you heard from. Mr. Romain
23 explained that Barclays did initially use September 19th and
24 then at PwC's suggestion, used September 22nd which is, in
25 fact, the actual closing date.

1 In deposition, Mr. Garvey said that his belief was
2 that the valuation date should be September 19th because that
3 was the closing date. I asked him: "Is that opinion based on
4 the understanding that September 19, 2008 was the date of
5 closing?"

6 "A. It's based on my understanding that that was the date of
7 the closing, yes."

8 As the Court knows, that is factually false. An
9 expert can and should be excluded when they base their opinions
10 on facts that are simply contrary to the record. Now I'm sure
11 my friends will get up and remind you or demonstrate to you
12 that after two or three questions and answers like this and a
13 request for a break and then a second break, Mr. Garvey came
14 back and clarified his answer because his lawyer told him that
15 the closing was September and he said that doesn't change
16 anything. But this is what he said first, more than once.

17 Let's go to tab 21, please. This is the issue I
18 already described regarding the December 2008 settlement. But
19 there is a point that I didn't make aside from the fact that
20 they're treating us as having received value when we didn't
21 have it. What Professor Zmijewski does is he goes back to
22 September 17th values for the assets delivered to Barclays in
23 the summer. But the September 17th values he uses are from
24 JPMorgan. And their values that JPMorgan itself cautioned were
25 unreliable in two different e-mails. One, Exhibit 640, an e-

1 mail that was sent in early October, the counsel for JPMorgan
2 circulated those very same CUSIPs and said "I understand that
3 these collateral values were furnished principally by third
4 party pricing sources and we caution against using those values
5 as reliable indicators of realizable value." That's JPMorgan's
6 lawyer talking about his client's own marks. If he's willing
7 to doubt them and caution against reliance on them, I think
8 that we know there's good reason to be skeptical.

9 They do it again in November. "Please note that the
10 'collateral value'", the number Professor Zmijewski relies on,
11 "was obtained from third party pricing sources. JPMorgan
12 cautions that may not be a reliable indicator of realizable
13 value."

14 These e-mails are sent after September but they are
15 not saying I caution that they may be out of date 'cause that
16 was September and that is October. They're saying, these come
17 from these third party sources and they may not be reliable.
18 The third party sources they're referring to are these third
19 party vendors. You'll hear about them: INTEx, FTID, other
20 sources of data that are used by financial institutions for
21 illiquid assets that don't trade. And they give their best
22 effort to give marks but most traders and valuation
23 professionals recognize that they have to be taken with a huge
24 grain of salt, particularly, in the middle of a financial
25 crisis.

1 So for that reason, in addition, this 1.7 billion
2 dollar valuation adjustment that Professor Zmijewski uses on
3 the December settlement we think is arbitrary and unreliable
4 and a basis for exclusion.

5 Please let's go to tab 22. The other piece of
6 analysis Professor Zmijewski does is to analyze the value of
7 the equities Barclays received. And you heard a little bit
8 from Mr. Tambe about the bid-ask quotes. And I think, if I
9 heard him correctly, he criticized Barclays for not using bid-
10 ask quotes in September. They used them in December. And
11 here's why. And, by the way, I think Professor Zmijewski does
12 the same thing but he does it differently. You can't use a
13 bid -- a bid-ask quote doesn't get stored forever in a system
14 so that today that we can look up on September 19th at 10 a.m.
15 or 11 a.m. what was the bid in the ask on X security. It
16 doesn't get stored by most vendors. You can't find it for most
17 securities and especially not securities that are not actively
18 trading. So what Barclays did for the -- I can't remember how
19 many CUSIPs he got for the equities. He found a subset that
20 had bid-ask information that was available from September. It
21 found the same bid-ask quotes in December. And it found the
22 ratio between the two. And it applied that ratio to all the
23 equities to compare what is the general bid-ask relationship
24 between what's happening in the market in December and
25 September. It's a very reasonable methodology. If anything,

1 it overstates values rather than understates because the
2 equities that don't have any bid-ask information at all from
3 September are going to be the most illiquid ones. These were
4 not all S&P 500 securities. Many of them were over-the-counter
5 or convertible equities not actively trading. What Professor
6 Zmijewski does is he only uses the historical data and he does
7 not ensure that the bid and the ask are actually
8 contemporaneous. So he can get a bid from one point in time
9 and an ask from another point in time and he can actually end
10 up with an inversion, a negative bid-ask which shows that the
11 data is unreliable by which I mean, he can show an ask below a
12 bid which can never be the case if it's contemporaneous or
13 nearly contemporaneous. Again, it's an unreliable method and a
14 basis for exclusion.

15 Tab 23 simply summarizes the fact that the only other
16 thing Professor Zmijewski does is summarize what all the other
17 experts say. And he admits if they have errors, he has errors.
18 In fact, he's admitted that for that chart you saw with the
19 windfall that he calculated that relies on this assertion that
20 Barclays was supposed to have a 1.85 billion dollar loss in the
21 transaction comes from Mr. Golden, an expert that movants have
22 withdrawn. So already one piece -- one of the legs he stands
23 on has been pulled out.

24 That's Professor Zmijewski.

25 Tab 24 addresses Professor Slattery's methods. You

1 may recall that other than timing, the next big chunk of data
2 that the movants' experts used to tweak upward Barclays' values
3 are the bid-offer adjustments. It's very important to note
4 movants' experts do not dispute that it was appropriate for
5 Barclays to mark the assets at a bid price and exit price, a
6 price at which they can actually sell the asset. Again, the
7 difference between that and a midpoint price or an ask price is
8 not going to be significant for liquid heavily traded assets
9 but could be very significant for illiquid assets. The repo
10 custodians do not typically mark at bid. They mark at mid
11 prices so there is a need for an adjustment. Movants' experts
12 adjust when they supposedly independently value assets. They
13 adjust from the BoNY price. They are also lower than the BoNY
14 price. They just take a smaller adjustment, a smaller
15 percentage. Their judgment on how illiquid the asset was is
16 different -- would be a generous way of describing it. Their
17 desire to inflate the value of Barclays received would be
18 another way of describing it.

19 What Mr. Slattery does, his methodology for coming up
20 with a smaller bid-ask spread than Barclays did, is to go to a
21 1997 textbook to find a chapter in that textbook that has a
22 table with estimates of bid-offer spreads for certain kinds of
23 bonds. A column that says "Normal" and -- or "Typical" and a
24 column that says "Distressed". There's no data underlying that
25 single table in that book. It says "Source: Lehman Brothers"

1 and a few others. But it doesn't cite data; it doesn't say
2 where. The author just maybe called someone up? I don't know.
3 He didn't know. It's just there in a 1997 book. He then uses
4 that ratio of "Typical" to "Distressed" in that one piece of
5 paper in that 1997 book and applies that to data he gathered
6 from 1992 to 2002 and other data from 2001.

7 He admits in depositions that this technique he came
8 up has never been validated by an academic researcher, never
9 used by himself before this case and, to the best of his
10 knowledge, no other valuation professional in history has ever
11 used this technique. This is not the kind of methodology on
12 which this case should be revaluing assets nor does it
13 withstand the Daubert standard.

14 Pine is the other big thing that Slattery does. And
15 we can go to tab 25. You've heard a lot about Pine. It may be
16 helpful to go first to tab 26. This is Pine as best as I can
17 show it pictorially, Your Honor. Pine is a collateralized loan
18 obligation created by Lehman for Lehman and only for Lehman.
19 It was never going to be traded. It was just going to be used
20 for financing transactions.

21 Pine held through a participation agreement both the
22 right to receive proceeds from and the obligation to fund a
23 series of leveraged loans to over fifty different corporate
24 borrowers all of which were actually counterparties directly
25 with a Lehman affiliate, LCPI, that, by the time of the

1 Barclays acquisition, was bankrupt. So LCPI holds leveraged
2 loans, obligations to fund loans to borrowers. If the
3 borrowers are able to repay those loans, they repay them to
4 LCPI. LCPI pays that out to Pine. If the borrowers need to
5 draw down on those leveraged loans and borrow more, LCPI turns
6 to Pine and Pine is obligated to fund LCPI. That's how a
7 participation agreement works.

8 At the time Barclays acquired the senior tranche in
9 Pine, 697 million dollars was already borrowed on these
10 leveraged loans. So all these fifty borrowers had an
11 obligation at some point to repay approximately 700 million.
12 But there was still a right on the part of those borrowers to
13 draw down another 1.1 billion dollars in unfunded obligations.
14 And if they did, Pine was legally obligated to fund. Pine
15 already held 367 million dollars. So that 367 couldn't just be
16 paid out. It was liable to be called for funding obligations
17 through LCPI.

18 Now, what are the risks in holding a piece -- a
19 tranche in this kind of entity? Well, first of all, at the
20 bottom of the page, you have a risk that these borrowers will
21 not repay. At the time of the transaction, the average S&P
22 rating for the kinds of borrowers here was, I think, eighty-two
23 percent risk -- or twenty-eight percent risk of non-repayment.
24 So there's immediately something like a twenty percent risk
25 you're not going to get repaid to LCPI. Then there's a risk

1 that LCPI, since it's bankrupt, can't pass any proceeds back up
2 to Pine. Then there's a further risk that the 367 million Pine
3 holds will be called upon to fund the borrowers which then
4 compounds the amount of exposure for whether the funding will
5 come back.

6 And this is more controversial, but there is
7 potentially a risk that more of the 1.14 billion will be
8 called. On that, it's important to note, and it was understood
9 at the time, that the people obligated to do that were Lehman
10 affiliates, the junior tranches. It was what's called an
11 inverted structure. They had the obligation to fund Pine not
12 Barclays.

13 However, if the borrowers are going to go bankrupt
14 unless they get funding, Barclays might conclude it has to
15 fund. In addition, there's a conceivable legal risk that a
16 Court would restructure this or interpret this indenture in a
17 way that might put Barclays on the hook. Those are the risks.

18 What's it worth on September 22nd, 2008, putting aside
19 the fact that you don't even know any of this until a few days
20 later that no one's going to buy it? No way anyone's going to
21 buy that. What's it worth? Barclays came up with a value
22 taking into account all of those risks. Professor Slattery
23 comes along and changes that valuation based upon the fact that
24 he either ignores the fact that there's a funding risk on that
25 367 million or he concludes that something that happened in

1 late October which minimized that risk should be attributed
2 back to the September 22nd value. Either way it's improper and
3 it's an unreliable method for valuing it.

4 And I would like to play what Mr. Slattery said about
5 Pine which you've heard about in Mr. Slattery's deposition. If
6 we have the ability to play MS-2?

7 (Begin video deposition of first excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

8 Q. Do you know when the Pine CLO was created?

9 A. The origination date? No, I do not.

10 Q. Do you know for what purpose the Pine CLO was created?

11 A. I do not know.

12 Q. Do you know whether the Pine CLO was created with the
13 intent that it be marketed to investors?

14 A. I do not know that -- have no knowledge, no.

15 (End video deposition of first excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

16 MR. HUME: Could I just play quickly MS-4?

17 (Begin video deposition of second excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

18 Q. What was the market for CLO's life in September of 2008?

19 A. I don't have an opinion to the market for the CLOs in
20 September 2008.

21 Q. And I take it you were not in any way involved in the
22 market for CLOs of the type represented by the Pine tranche A1
23 in September of 2008.

24 A. Specifically that segment of the market, I was not.

25 Q. Were any members of your team?

1 A. Not that I'm aware of.

2 (End video deposition of second excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

3 MR. HUME: And finally, this is brief, MS-3.

4 (Begin video deposition of third excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

5 Q. So your view is that the (indiscernible) you performed was
6 intended to predict what a willing buyer at that time in that
7 market would pay for the Pine CLO A1 tranche.

8 A. I don't know if I would use the word "predict". We tended
9 to quantify the price, the value of the A1 tranche of the Pine
10 CLO as of the 19th, yes.

11 Q. And my question, just so we're clear, is in your mind is
12 there a difference between the value of the A1 tranche of Pine
13 CLO and what a willing buyer would pay for it on that date?

14 A. I would agree (indiscernible) see that it's possible.

15 (End video deposition of third excerpt of Mr. Slattery)

16 MR. HUME: And, Your Honor, I think that shows that he
17 didn't know what the market was for these kinds of products.
18 He's not even saying what a willing buyer would pay for the
19 product. That's not a basis on which to reach a reliable
20 valuation.

21 I'm going to move quickly through the remaining
22 experts so I can summarize our legal arguments briefly before I
23 close. Their expert, Mr. Olvany, similarly to what Mr.
24 Slattery does with Pine, uses ex post information to value
25 these giant stadium bonds. These were failed auction rate

1 securities. These were also assets that were not liquid, not
2 valuable at the time. And that's September 2008 period. It is
3 true that in November 2008, Goldman Sachs sponsored a new
4 auction which brought value back to these bonds. But they had
5 failed at auction in March, have been no auction since then.
6 And as Professor Pfleiderer can explain, if you don't have an
7 auction for an auction rate security, you don't know what you
8 have. You have something that you can't sell, that is
9 completely illiquid. That's the way in which you trade in
10 auction rate security. It's the only way.

11 Mr. Schneider, their repo custodian expert, is really
12 giving an abstract view that in his opinion repo custodians
13 know what they're doing. He admitted, I have not seen a list
14 of assets. I did not analyze it in any way. Did not do
15 anything other -- I did not do anything other than see a list
16 of assets. So he's seen the list but he didn't analyze it. He
17 made no effort to determine whether the BoNY values were
18 accurate or whether the types of assets in the repo collateral
19 were those that are typically in the repo collateral.
20 Professor Pfleiderer, by contrast, has submitted testimony and
21 data analysis showing that over thirty percent, I believe,
22 maybe more, of the repo collateral would not satisfy the
23 bankruptcy rules on what constitutes a repo transaction.
24 Outside the bounds of even what a repo transaction is. It's
25 such unusual collateral. JPMorgan has given testimony to

1 Congress in the last week. Mr. Zubrow or Mr. Tambe cited
2 saying this was inappropriate collateral what Lehman was using.
3 He uses that exact phrase: "inappropriate collateral".

4 Those are a summary, Your Honor, of the methodological
5 criticisms we have of the movants' experts. I'd like to close
6 by briefly summarizing our legal arguments. We were criticized
7 by movants of trying to retread arguments that the Court held
8 on April 9th. It wasn't willing to decide this case based on
9 the papers. We obviously understand that and respect that.
10 But there has now been several weeks of trial and there are
11 arguments that have not been decided one way or the other.

12 There are two distinct legal arguments which either
13 dispose of the need for movants' experts or would at least
14 sharpen the question of what exactly it is they're trying to
15 prove and must prove to be legally relevant to the issue before
16 the Court. The purchase agreement doesn't provide any
17 valuation. The sale order doesn't provide valuations. The
18 lead lawyer for Lehman, Harvey Miller, agreed that Barclays was
19 acquiring these assets irrespective of their values. It
20 doesn't mean values were irrelevant to what people were doing
21 that week. It was relevant to Barclays. You've seen e-mails
22 saying they were scared to death. Rich Ricci: "I am worried."
23 Rich Ricci. If he thought that 52 was a real number, he would
24 not have been worried. He was worried because he knew it
25 wasn't a real number. So values were relevant. But there was

1 no rep or warranty that we definitely get such a value or we
2 are capped at such a value. It was, we're buying the business.
3 That was Harvey Miller's testimony. That's what the contract
4 and sale order say.

5 In that context and where the movants and the
6 creditors were given the list of CUSIPs before the closing,
7 they have a meeting with Michael Klein where he says it's 49.9
8 but it could be forty-four or it could be forty-five. They
9 write e-mails saying we don't know if it's forty-five or forty-
10 nine. We've got a five billion. There's one thing that is
11 clear. The values were uncertain. Highly uncertain. The
12 committee says, we can find marks for some of them but not for
13 a lot.

14 This deal closed with acknowledged uncertainty. You
15 can't have mutual mistake when there's acknowledged
16 uncertainty. And if there was acknowledged uncertainty at the
17 time and they believed the marks might be higher, they were
18 required to come forward and say, we need a true-up, we need a
19 valuation cap, we need something, if that's what they thought
20 they were entitled to. But they didn't. And there's a reason
21 they didn't. Barclays wouldn't have agreed and they wanted to
22 split the sale. Were in the middle of a most catastrophic
23 crisis since the Great Depression and they're not about to come
24 in and start tweaking with it. They're not going to appeal the
25 sale order. They're not going to ask you to put a provision.

1 They're not going to ask for reconsideration. They knew the
2 sale was in the best interest for them and for customers, so
3 they didn't do it. They came back a year later. There's no
4 way to understand that other than that they waited until the
5 time seemed right. And with the uncertainty of those values at
6 the time, they can't come in now and hire eight experts or six
7 experts to come in and say, well, now we've looked at it and
8 now we think the value is x and therefore you got too much.
9 All of our legal bars that we outlined in our brief should
10 prevent that.

11 Now there's a separate legal argument which is more
12 directly acutely focused on the movants' experts and doesn't
13 necessarily sweep across this entire proceeding the way the
14 argument I just made arguably does. In December 2008 -- if you
15 can go to tab 35. The SIPC trustee for LBI asked this Court to
16 approve a settlement. As part of that request, the trustee's
17 motion said -- recounted facts of the repo transaction and that
18 by advancing the forty-five billion, Barclays was entitled to
19 49.7. Citing to Shari Leventhal's declaration. Nowhere in
20 that motion does it say, but, of course, Barclays is capped at
21 47.4. Does not say that. Nor did Mr. Kobak say that when he
22 came to this Court and asked this Court to approve the
23 settlement. A settlement -- the transferred value -- it was
24 uncertain value valued by Barclays just under five billion
25 dollars, the same five billion dollars they now want the Court

1 to order Barclays to give back.

2 The trustee said these assets should be transferred to
3 Barclays because it "really accomplishes the very transaction
4 contemplated in the purchase agreement as approved by this
5 Court".

6 That settlement agreement -- the Court approved the
7 settlement. Tab 36 shows what's in the settlement agreement
8 that was attached to the trustee's motion that the trustee
9 signed and that the Court approved. It was a broad release
10 between the trustee, Barclays and JPMorgan, a mutual release.
11 Because Barclays was giving up a claim for seven billion
12 dollars to receive assets that were worth much less than that.
13 Turns out to be about five billion. So it was a mutual
14 release. And here's what the trustee's relief to Barclays was.
15 "On behalf of LBI and the LBI estate, trustee hereby does and
16 shall be deemed to forever release, waive and discharge each of
17 JPMorgan and BarCap from and in respect of all claims, whether
18 known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, suspected or
19 unsuspected, liquidated or unliquidated, contingent or fixed,
20 currently existing or hereafter arising, in law, equity or
21 otherwise, relating to the subject funds" -- that was the seven
22 billion -- "the replacement transaction" -- that was the entire
23 repo transaction -- "or the delivered securities" -- what was
24 transferred to Barclays in December 2008. That was the release
25 the trustee gave us in exchange for a release Barclays gave the

1 trustee. The Court approved that release in an order dated
2 December 22, 2008. That order has not been challenged under
3 Rule 60(b). The time for challenging it has passed.

4 The repo collateral -- and I don't think there's any
5 factual dispute about this -- was owned by LBI. That is the
6 legal entity that owned that repo collateral. That's what
7 Shari Leventhal's declaration says. It's what all the
8 documents say. I don't think anyone contradicts that. So LBI
9 had the claim for any repo collateral it thought it should not
10 have to give Barclays or should get back from Barclays. LBI is
11 the entity that gave us the release. It's Black letter law
12 that a release by the party with a claim bars other parties
13 whose claims are purely derivative of the party giving the
14 release. A parent company can only have a derivative claim to
15 LBI's entitlement, to LBI's property. Creditors of the parent
16 company can only have a derivative claim. They are barred by
17 that release.

18 Now, Your Honor, I'm very mindful of the fact that a
19 lot was said on December 22nd, 2008 about reserving rights.
20 And the creditors' committee said they needed to understand
21 things better. But I'm also mindful of the fact that no one
22 stood up that day and said, Your Honor, there is a 47.4 billion
23 dollar cap and if this settlement gives them a penny more, it's
24 got to come back. No one said that. They waited another nine
25 months to try out that theory. They said they needed

1 information. They said no collateral estoppel. Court's order
2 says it was not be collateral estoppel or otherwise prejudice
3 any other matter. We don't seek to use this release to bar the
4 trustee's arguments over the clearance box assets or any of the
5 movants' arguments, both the clearance box assets, the exchange
6 traded derivatives margin, the 15c3 assets. The repo
7 collateral was settled. And ironically, it was settled through
8 the transfer of five billion dollars, the five billion dollar
9 discount the committee's documents were talking about in
10 September and October and November. And they asked for
11 information; we gave them information. They didn't tell us or
12 the Court what they really -- what they later argued or what
13 their internal documents were saying at the time. It was still
14 a time of extreme financial uncertainty, of extreme crisis.
15 The sale was still obviously a good thing and, apparently, they
16 didn't want to get in the way of that. But for whatever
17 reason, they didn't say then what they're saying now.

18 In fact, we can go to tab 38. The trustee responded
19 to the committee's objection -- the committee did object to
20 that settlement by saying this. The one remaining objection,
21 Mr. Kobak said, the objection of the committee. And their
22 objection, as I understand it, is primarily that they seek
23 extensive information about some background facts. Then he
24 says this: "The information that they seek we think really has
25 nothing to do with this aspect of the purchase agreement

1 itself. And it's just using this motion as a vehicle either to
2 reopen the Court's approval of the purchase agreement or to
3 investigate unrelated claims and transactions. We think it's
4 too late to do the former." And then with respect to the
5 latter, they can investigate if it's another issue, some other
6 issue. They can take discovery and get information.

7 The Court's order overruled the committee's objection
8 as the trustee asked the Court to do. It's simply not possible
9 to understand that release in that order as having any meaning
10 whatsoever that the movants can do what they're doing now.
11 They have to be legally barred from coming back here now to say
12 well, actually, we think the value is more than Barclays
13 thought it was. It's not even like they discovered that
14 Barclays booked it and thinks it's fifty billion. I mean,
15 they're actually coming in to say we're going to revalue it,
16 these CUSIP lists that we've had since September, and ask you
17 to undo -- in fact, they're not even asking you to undo the
18 release. They're just asking you to ignore it.

19 Your Honor, the trustee himself in deposition -- the
20 trustee's 30(b)(6) representative himself in deposition
21 admitted that when he asked this Court to approve that December
22 settlement, the trustee had not reached any conclusion one way
23 or another as to whether the repo collateral in its entirety,
24 including what was being transferred in the settlement, was
25 worth more or less than 47.4 billion dollars. I had to ask him

1 the question twice because I didn't understand it. He said no.
2 We reserved all rights. I said, well, you asked for the Court
3 to approve a settlement and you're saying you thought it might
4 be transferring more than 47.4 billion and you gave us a
5 release but you thought you reserved all rights. And he said,
6 yes. We didn't know whether it was worth more or less. Did
7 you tell the Court there was a 47.4 billion cap in some
8 clawback? No, not exactly.

9 Your Honor, if there's anything -- I think I've been
10 clear that I don't think there's anything that can undo this
11 release. But if there is anything that can undo this release,
12 it's got to be something more than treating us as receiving
13 assets at September values that JPMorgan disclaims that we
14 didn't get until December. It's got to be something more than
15 looking up a new bid-offer adjustment from a 1997 textbook to
16 recalculate Barclays' bid-offer adjustment. It's got to be
17 something more than saying you should use September 19th not
18 September (sic) 22nd.

19 The experts from the movants are trying to rescue a
20 theory that was launched before the movants knew that the value
21 of that repo collateral was not what the BoNY mark said.
22 They're reverse engineering a higher number. It's not a basis
23 for undoing that release. And I think on that basis, at a
24 minimum, our Daubert motion should be granted.

25 I don't have anything else, Your Honor, unless you

1 have questions.

2 THE COURT: Okay. Thank you. I don't think there's
3 going to be an opportunity for rebuttal since rebuttal time
4 wasn't reserved. And I've had an opportunity prior to the
5 argument to review the very extensive materials that have been
6 submitted in connection with the motions that have been argued
7 to this point.

8 What I'm going to do is we'll take a lunch break and
9 return at 1:45 to argue the McIsaac matter. And I'll try to
10 give you a ruling from the bench this afternoon on everything.

11 And the presentations were excellent on both sides
12 and, in part, served as, I guess, preview of closing arguments
13 that I might be seeing as well. Thank you very much for your
14 excellent presentations. We're adjourned till 1:45.

15 (Recess from 12:32 p.m. until 1:49 p.m.)

16 THE COURT: Be seated, please. It's time for McIsaac.

17 MR. HUME: Thank you, Your Honor. Hamish Hume again
18 for Barclays. I'll be presenting argument much more briefly,
19 Your Honor, on McIsaac, at least from our side. We have a
20 motion to exclude his testimony both that's proffered on the
21 issue of the 15c3 reserve requirement and on the issue of
22 exchange traded derivatives. And we have a few demonstratives
23 on these starting at slide 39 of the binder.

24 I'll address the 15c3 issue first and briefly -- our
25 arguments are laid out in our papers. I think I would

1 summarize them in two categories. One relates to the
2 information he relied on and our access to it. And the other
3 are two distinct legal issues that we think preclude his 15c3
4 testimony.

5 Let me begin with the two legal issues. And it
6 actually would be slide 40 so it'll be out of order. The first
7 is -- it's not actually fully laid out in the slide. But Mr.
8 McIsaac is proffering testimony about shortfalls in the 15c3
9 reserve at LBI on September 19th. He doesn't actually perform
10 a full calculation of the 15c3 reserve requirement but he does
11 allege a series of shortfalls on that day.

12 I think for two reasons -- and this slide is not
13 particularly helpful for the two points I want to make
14 actually.

15 THE COURT: So I won't look at it.

16 MR. HUME: Sorry. The two legal points, I think, that
17 we have made and would make on this are, number one, once LBI
18 goes into SIPC liquidation, the 15c3 regime is really no longer
19 in effect. That's anyway our legal argument. And there may be
20 a legal dispute over that. But we don't think Mr. McIsaac is
21 qualified or is not the place of an expert to give an opinion
22 on that legal dispute. And he admits he has no experience in
23 the conduct of SIPA liquidations.

24 Clearly, the 15c3 reserve requirement is to protect
25 customers. Once you're in a SIPC liquidation, it is then up to

1 the trustee to determine how best to protect customers. And if
2 the trustee decides to transfer property, the statute clearly
3 authorizes him to transfer any property, with Court approval,
4 to protect customers. And so, we don't think the 15c3 reserve
5 requirement operates in the same way after a SIPC liquidation.
6 So for that one reason, we think his opinion is legally
7 irrelevant. And he doesn't have experience to talk about the
8 relevance, if any, of the 15c3 requirement in a SIPC
9 liquidation.

10 The second legal argument we have is familiar to the
11 Court, I think, from our briefing that it's Barclays' position
12 that it was represented that there were these assets that could
13 be transferred. It was represented that there were excess
14 assets in the requirement but there was also an agreement that
15 we would get the value one way or the other. And we believe
16 the trustee had the authority to approve that and did approve
17 that. And I know there is obviously a dispute about that, a
18 dispute about the Court's approval of that. It was described
19 to the Court by Harvey Miller in his first report to the Court
20 after the transaction.

21 There's a legal dispute about it. I don't think an
22 expert is necessary or proper to opine on that dispute. So
23 those are the two legal arguments with respect to Mr. McIsaac's
24 15c3 testimony.

25 Slide 39 is an independent argument for exclusion

1 which relates to the fact that -- there are a couple of aspects
2 of this. But Mr. McIsaac essentially just worked with
3 information given to him from Deloitte & Touche, the trustee's
4 financial advisors, who gave him information about problems
5 they identified with the 15c3 calculation. He admitted in
6 deposition that he made no independent effort to look for
7 transaction or events that might have adjusted the reserve
8 calculation in other ways. This is a complicated calculation
9 that involves a combination of credits and debits. And he
10 essentially only looked at things that made the reserve
11 requirement go up or the amounts held in the reserve go down
12 and didn't look for events that would have the opposite effect,
13 that would actually shown an excess.

14 But more importantly, the information he relied on
15 came from Deloitte and we haven't been given it. Barclays
16 asked for that information and has been denied it and Barclays
17 does not have access to the information needed to do its own
18 independent assessment of the 15c3 reserve requirement. So
19 we're handicapped in our ability to fully assess the work he
20 did. So that is a factual argument or an argument about
21 available information that we believe is a basis to exclude his
22 testimony.

23 Those are our arguments --

24 THE COURT: Okay.

25 MR. HUME: -- on that. And they're laid out in our

1 papers more.

2 Now, Mr. McIsaac was first identified, in fact, in an
3 independent proceeding relating to the trustee's motion to
4 separate customer property from estate property on this 15c3
5 calculation. And he does have operational expertise in the
6 15c3 regime.

7 He does not, in our opinion, have expertise in the
8 world of exchange traded derivatives. Slide 41 begins our
9 argument on that. He has only tangential understanding of
10 exchange traded derivatives. He has nowhere near the kinds of
11 qualifications you've seen from two fact witnesses already, Ms.
12 James and Mr. Raisler. And certainly, nothing on the order of
13 our independent expert, Tony Leitner, who spent his entire
14 career working in trading and evaluating and working on the
15 regulatory aspects of exchange traded derivatives. He was
16 really, to our mind, an add-on when we came forward with -- as
17 I explained this morning, we put our experts forward first in a
18 slightly unusual scheduling posture. And it was only after we
19 did that that the trustee asked Mr. McIsaac to, in addition to
20 his 15c3 work, do exchange traded derivative report to try to
21 respond to our expert. He has no specialized knowledge in it.
22 He's never involved in negotiating the price of an exchange
23 traded derivative acquisition or in evaluating the risk
24 associated with exchange traded derivatives. And in giving his
25 opinion -- so we think he's not qualified, is the first point.

1 And the second is that in giving his opinion, he really did not
2 familiarize himself with the facts relevant to the overall sale
3 transaction and, specifically, relevant to the transaction
4 involving exchange traded derivatives which, as we've tried to
5 present to the Court through fact witnesses, is a unique part
6 of the transaction where the assets are also liabilities.
7 They're derivatives that are in the money and out of the money.
8 And the margin is held there to protect against downside risk
9 and liabilities. And as our fact witnesses have explained,
10 that margin goes with the positions. Now that may be disputed
11 but I don't think Mr. McIsaac has any basis for disputing it.
12 And I think his admissions in deposition show that.

13 I would like to just show very briefly a few short
14 clips, about two to three minutes, from his deposition that we
15 think establish his lack of credentials in this area. I think
16 we start with DM-4.

17 (Begin video deposition of first excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

18 Q. What's your understanding of the risk of a VIX position in
19 a volatile market?

20 A. I'm not a risk man so I don't know. I wouldn't venture to
21 guess what the risk profile is. We would normally use quants
22 and (indiscernible) methods to track that information.

23 Q. Do you have an understanding of the risk profile of any
24 other types of exchange traded derivatives?

25 A. Just from the standpoint of dealing with it and

1 understanding how the market moves not from a risk standpoint
2 or evaluating a risk standpoint. We have other people who are
3 responsible for that.

4 Q. Is it fair to say that you're not an expert on risk
5 management in terms of proprietary trading?

6 A. I'm not an expert on this type of risk trading, on risk
7 management. Again, in our firm we would have separate people
8 that would be responsible for risk management process --
9 procedures.

10 (End video deposition of first excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

11 MR. HUME: So, Your Honor, the purpose of showing that
12 clip -- obviously, you've heard testimony about the VIX
13 positions that were extremely risky that Barclays learned about
14 shortly before the closing. We don't think you can evaluate
15 the nature of the transaction with respect to exchange traded
16 derivatives without understanding the risks associated with
17 taking over exchange traded derivatives and, particularly,
18 positions like the VIX positions.

19 The next clip, which is shorter, relates to something
20 else the Court has heard about which is the nature of the
21 actions being taken by the clearing corporation that week who
22 held the risk on these exchange traded derivatives and were
23 threatening to seize them and liquidate them, in particular the
24 OCC. This is DM-8.

25 (Begin video deposition of second excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

1 Q. What is your understanding of the position that the OCC
2 took during the week of September 15th with respect to Lehman
3 Brothers as a clearing member?

4 A. I'm not sure what position the OCC took with regard to
5 that. I thought they were going on as business as usual. They
6 looked like they were clearing their trades, satisfying their
7 trades. So I don't see any -- haven't seen anything that says
8 (indiscernible).

9 (End video deposition of second excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

10 MR. HUME: Again, Your Honor, we submit that just
11 contradicts the facts in the record which is a basis for
12 exclusion under the Daubert standard.

13 One more clip which we think shows a lack of
14 familiarity with the record and a view that contradicts the
15 facts in the record relates to the options Lehman had to look
16 for alternative buyers at the time in that week in September
17 2008. This is DM-7.

18 (Begin video deposition of third excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

19 Q. When you discovered the circumstances of the transaction
20 between Lehman and Barclays, on page 7 of your report, did you
21 consider among those circumstances the options that Lehman had
22 to the deal with Barclays?

23 A. The options that Lehman had? I guess Lehman could have
24 decided to sell or not sell.

25 Q. Could they have decided to sell to a different entity?

1 A. I'm sure they could have.

2 Q. Do you agree that the Court is being told at the September
3 19th sale hearing that it is almost academic for Lehman to find
4 another potential buyer at that point?

5 A. That's what it looks like, yes. But --

6 Q. And do --

7 A. Excuse me. But it also says that they weren't marketing
8 for Lehman in the first paragraph on that page. So maybe if
9 they did, they might have been able to find other buyers.

10 (End video deposition of third excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

11 MR. HUME: Your Honor, if you'll indulge me, one last
12 clip and then I'll be done which we think shows that based on
13 his unfamiliarity with the record which he was confronted with
14 in his deposition, Mr. McIsaac was candid enough to admit that
15 he was changing his opinion from what was in his report, at
16 least somewhat. DM-3.

17 (Begin video deposition of fourth excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

18 Q. So when you say in your report the rational seller would
19 not include margin in the deal unless it was being compensated
20 dollar for dollar, do you mean what you say in that sentence or
21 are you modifying it here today?

22 A. You are giving me facts that were not part of my opinion.
23 What I said in my opinion was the rational purchaser would want
24 to quantify the risk in determining what additional assets it
25 needed and the rational seller would include margin on a dollar

1 for dollar basis. As you negotiate that, you may change your
2 mind. You may decide I'll take fifty cents on the dollar. I
3 may take twenty-five cents on the dollar. I may want a dollar
4 and a half on the dollar if I think the assets are worth more.
5 That's a negotiation that would occur at that time.

6 (End deposition video of fourth excerpt of Mr. McIsaac)

7 MR. HUME: While we disagree with that testimony, Your
8 Honor, we think it shows that he's changing it based on facts
9 he's learning about the case that he didn't know when he gave
10 his report. We don't think he's qualified in this area. We
11 don't think he's looked at the facts relevant to exchange
12 traded derivatives. And so we think he should be precluded
13 from testifying on that subject.

14 MR. OXFORD: May it please the Court. Neil Oxford
15 from Hughes Hubbard & Reed for the SIPA trustee. I have a
16 small binder that, with the Court's permission, I'll hand up.

17 THE COURT: That's fine.

18 (Pause)

19 THE COURT: Please proceed.

20 MR. OXFORD: Thank you, Your Honor. There are some
21 slides in the inside pocket that are primarily what I'm going
22 to refer to in my presentation.

23 Following Mr. Hume's order of argument, Mr. McIsaac's
24 testimony in this case relates, on the one hand, to the 15c3
25 assets. And those are in dispute in this case because of

1 paragraph 8 of the clarification letter. If movants are
2 correct then Barclays' right to that 769 million dollars that
3 was locked in the 15c3 account was conditioned by, amongst
4 other things, the existence of an excess on that particular
5 date. Movants had anticipated that Barclays would attempt to
6 show that there was an excess in the c3 account as of the date
7 of the clarification letter. And as Mr. Hume averted to, it's
8 for that reason we designated Mr. McIsaac's report which was
9 submitted in connection with the allocation motion in this
10 Court.

11 Now Barclays have not argued in this case or have they
12 attempted to show the existence of an excess in the c3 account
13 on September 19th. No witness has come before Your Honor and
14 explained that that happened. Now Barclays argues for the
15 first time on the motion to exclude Mr. McIsaac that the
16 correct date is not the 19th but the correct date is the 17th.
17 That is the correct date, they say, to determine whether or not
18 there was sufficient money in the customer protection account
19 to give that 769 million dollars to Barclays. Barclays'
20 expert, Peter Vinella, who is yet to come before this Court,
21 states in his opinion that he believes there's an excess in the
22 c3 account of 225 million dollars on the 17th. Now, for the
23 reasons set out in our papers, Your Honor, movants disagree
24 with that calculation. We do not believe the 17th is the
25 correct date. We think it's inconsistent with SIPA. We think

1 it's inconsistent with the requirements of the SEC in this
2 case. And we think it's inconsistent with the agreement that
3 was reached between the parties.

4 That said, to ensure that we cover all bases, the
5 movants intend to call Mr. McIssac to explain that the
6 adjustments that needed to be made to the customer reserve
7 calculation as of the 19th also apply to the 17th.

8 With the Court's permission, I'd like to put the
9 slides up and very briefly take you through what Mr. McIsaac
10 would say about those issues.

11 If we could have the next slide, please?

12 Mr. McIsaac has experience in the financial industries
13 practices in calculating the customer protections account. He
14 was the chair of the capital committee of SIFMA for a number of
15 years and he has thirty years experience in either performing
16 or reviewing or supervising those calculations. And I don't
17 believe there's a dispute today as to Mr. McIsaac's
18 qualifications as to the calculation of the customer reserve
19 account.

20 Mr. McIsaac will testify, if he is permitted, that
21 LBI's September 19th reserve calculations were unreliable.
22 He'll testify that any calculation that does show an excess on
23 that date fails to account for a number of items including
24 Barclays' claim to Lehman's margin at the OCC and also to
25 assets that were held in Lehman's European arm, LBIE, which

1 went into bankruptcy on the 15th.

2 Mr. McIsaac will also testify that these, and perhaps
3 other, adjustments need to be made not only to the calculation
4 on the 19th but also to the calculation on the 17th.

5 Do you have the next slide, Steve?

6 Turning to the first example that Mr. McIsaac would
7 testify to, Mr. McIsaac will be able to show that Lehman's
8 calculation of the customer protection reserve on the 19th
9 included a 500 million dollar debit item for Lehman margin at
10 the OCC. He will explain that the customer protection rule
11 allowed Lehman to reduce the money that it had set aside in the
12 customer protection account by that 500 million because that
13 was already protected at the OCC.

14 Now as Your Honor is aware, Barclays claims that it,
15 under the asset purchase agreement, is entitled to that margin.
16 And if that is true, and movants clearly don't think it is,
17 then none of that 500 million dollars can be used to protect
18 customers. And if that 500 million dollars has to be taken out
19 of the customer protection account, then the amount in the
20 customer protection account as of the 19th and as of the 17th
21 must be increased. And Mr. McIsaac can explain the various
22 debits and credits that go into that complex calculation.

23 Can I have the next slide, Steve?

24 And the last example I wanted to give to the Court is
25 that the LBIE assets -- the week of the 15th -- Lehman Brothers

1 Europe went into liquidation on the 15th. Lehman Brothers Inc.
2 had approximately 400 million dollars of assets that were in a
3 safe custody account at LBIE which meant they were not included
4 in the formula. And LBIE's insolvency filing meant that those
5 assets were no longer in a secure location and again, Mr.
6 McIsaac would testify that these have to be added to the
7 customer reserve protection calculation as of both the 17th and
8 the 19th.

9 Now turning to Mr. Hume's criticisms of Ms. McIsaac's
10 opinions, perhaps I can deal with that in reverse order, the
11 legal arguments first. Mr. McIsaac's not an expert on SIPA.
12 We are not calling him as an expert on SIPA. There's no
13 dispute as to that. He's an expert in the SEC's Rule 15c3 and
14 we are calling him to explain the trade and industry custom and
15 practice with respect to those rules and the particular debits
16 and credits that should be taken into account in calculating
17 whether or not there was an excess on the 17th or the 19th of
18 September, 2008.

19 The second legal issue that Mr. Hume raised is the
20 issue as to what is the correct date for determining the -- and
21 mine to be looked up in the customer protection account as of
22 the date of the SIPA filing. It's briefed in our papers, Your
23 Honor, I mentioned it before. We believe it's the 19th for the
24 reasons set out there however we do not believe that it's an
25 issue on which Mr. McIsaac has anything to offer. His opinions

1 are consistent with the movants' position that the 19th is the
2 correct date but movants cannot rely on Mr. McIsaac to reach
3 that conclusion.

4 Mr. Hume had two substantive criticisms of Mr.
5 McIsaac's approach. The first is, as I heard it, that Mr.
6 McIsaac reached his opinions without endeavoring to obtain all
7 of the relevant information. And that, we submit, is simply
8 not true. He's testified in deposition that Deloitte reviewed
9 all of the possible adjustments that could be made that would
10 be relevant to the customer protection rule calculation and
11 brought them to his attention.

12 And if we could bring up Mr. McIsaac's deposition,
13 Steve, at page 293?

14 Your Honor, it's also in your binder at tab 1. Page
15 293. Starting at line 2, Mr. McIsaac is asked:

16 "Q. Were you asked by the trustee to identify transactions or
17 events that might have required adjustments on the debit side
18 of the reserve calculation?

19 "A. All issues brought to my attention by the trustee would
20 have been reviewed. There was no indication of only reviewing
21 the credit side. In fact, coding errors did have an impact on
22 both the debit and the credit side."

23 And then skipping down a couple of questions and
24 answers at line 22:

25 "Q. Do you know if the trustee looked for errors that would've

1 caused an adjustment on the debit side of the reserve formula?"

2 Answer which goes over to 294:

3 "A. I believe the trustee and his advisors looked for all and
4 any adjustments that would've impacted the 9/19 calculations."

5 So it's our position that it's simply not true that
6 Mr. McIsaac did not review all relevant information; he did, as
7 that testimony from his deposition makes clear.

8 The second criticism by Mr. Hume seems to suggest that
9 the movants had withheld from Barclays the relevant information
10 that they would need to determine the accuracy or otherwise of
11 Mr. McIsaac's testimony. And that is simply not true. As in
12 many cases these days, Your Honor, there is a stipulation in
13 place agreed between the parties that was intended to govern
14 and in some respects limit the expert discovery in this case.
15 It was Barclays' suggestion and the movants agreed to it.
16 Baldly speaking, under that stipulation, the parties were
17 obliged to produce all data and other information upon which
18 the experts relied. And the movants have done that in this
19 case. Every single piece of paper that relates to Mr.
20 McIsaac's opinion have been given to Barclays. And this is
21 news to me if there's some alleged deficiency in our
22 production.

23 THE COURT: My understanding from Mr. Hume argued is
24 that there are materials that have not been turned over from
25 Deloitte in particular.

1 MR. OXFORD: That is what I understood from him to be
2 arguing in his papers, Your Honor.

3 THE COURT: Well, is it true --

4 MR. OXFORD: It seems, in essence --

5 THE COURT: -- is it true that there are papers from
6 Deloitte requested by Barclays that have not been turned over?

7 MR. OXFORD: No, I don't believe so, Your Honor, not
8 at least in connection with these.

9 It seems that Mr. Hume is arguing that Barclays is
10 entitled to what Deloitte did not give Mr. McIsaac and that is
11 a vast and very late expansion of the expert discovery in this
12 case. It is, I submit, a total frolic. There's no suggestion
13 of any kind that Deloitte has withheld any -- excuse me, any
14 information from Mr. McIsaac that could be relevant in any way
15 to the c3 calculation. In fact, his testimony suggests quite
16 the opposite. As Your Honor is aware, it's -- it was a
17 decision of this Court on April 26th that Deloitte's activities
18 at the direction of the trustee are work product, that is --
19 that is true. But nothing has been hidden from Barclays in
20 this case.

21 Barclays say they bought the business. With the
22 business comes the books and the records. Barclays also took
23 over the former Lehman staff who have knowledge of the books
24 and records. They equally, just as Deloitte, could have
25 reviewed those books and records and if there were other

1 adjustments that they believed needed to be made going one way
2 or the other to the reserve formula calculation, they were in a
3 position to do that. So there's no prejudice to Barclays.

4 I would also note that it's not my understanding that
5 Barclays has even requested this information, work product or
6 otherwise. There were two document requests since September
7 and October of last year which were narrowly tailored both in
8 scope and in time to the assets and the valuation thereof that
9 Barclays claims under the asset purchase agreement.

10 So, you know, I don't they've asked for it, and I
11 think it's too late to ask for it, but I also don't think they
12 need it. They can go off, they can do their own work and they
13 can ask Mr. McIsaac about it at trial, if he's permitted to
14 testify. They don't need Deloitte's work product in order to
15 do that. To the extent Deloitte's work product was relied upon
16 by Mr. McIsaac, they have it.

17 THE COURT: Right. Why don't you move onto the next
18 issue?

19 MR. OXFORD: Thank you, Your Honor.

20 On the subject of exchange-traded derivatives on margin, I just
21 wanted to make one preparatory comment about the way Mr.
22 McIsaac's testimony on the subject and also Mr. Leitner's
23 testimony on the subject fits into the framework of this case.
24 It is the movants' view that what is relevant to the
25 determination of the issues before this Court is what actually

1 happened. What the parties agreed or did not agree to with
2 respect to the derivatives and with respect to the margin and
3 that is why during the movants' case we brought Mr. McDade and
4 we asked him the question. Mr. McDade says 'there's no margin
5 in the deal and if someone had asked me to put margin in the
6 deal, I would've refused'. We called Harvey Miller. Mr.
7 Miller said he had no conversations about margin.

8 We also brought the key Barclay's witnesses. We
9 brought Mr. Ricci, Mr. Diamond and Mr. Hughes and they all
10 testified that they understood that margin was in the deal.
11 When we asked them who on behalf of Lehman agreed to that they
12 couldn't identify someone. So Barclays has a big hole in its
13 case. They don't have an agreement that they can point to.
14 Enter Mr. Lightner. Mr. Leitner is a derivatives expert who
15 doesn't purport to testify on what actually happened in this
16 case. He doesn't purport to interpret the legal agreements,
17 what he says is a hypothetical, rational purchaser would not
18 have taken Lehman's derivatives positions without also getting
19 a hundred percent of the margin no matter how much that was and
20 no matter whether they needed it or not. And with respect,
21 it's our position, Your Honor, that that is largely, if not
22 entirely, irrelevant.

23 THE COURT: What does that have to do with Mr.
24 McIsaac's ability to provide countervailing testimony?

25 MR. OXFORD: Well, it's just -- it's context, Your

1 Honor. I don't think it makes Mr. McIsaac's testimony more or
2 less permissible. It --

3 THE COURT: You just tell me why you need it.

4 MR. OXFORD: Well, I need it -- if Mr. Leitner comes
5 in, if they bring him, we will cross-examine him and we may
6 call Mr. -- Mr. McIsaac in rebuttal. We may decide after
7 hearing what Mr. Leitner comes and says, if he comes at all,
8 that we don't it because as I've explained, Your Honor, it's
9 our view that this testimony is really neither here nor there.
10 It amounts to a lot of 'woulda, coulda, shoulda'. However, we
11 don't think it's appropriate.

12 THE COURT: Well, the Barclays position is that by his
13 own admissions during deposition, Mr. McIsaac knows nothing
14 about risk allocations and management procedures and so
15 wouldn't be in a position to testify one way or the other as to
16 whether margin would or would not ordinarily be part of a
17 transaction such as this.

18 MR. OXFORD: Right, the clips that Mr. Hume --

19 THE COURT: So the question is, is he qualified to
20 testify?

21 MR. OXFORD: Yes, he -- and the answer is yes, he is
22 qualified. If I could show -- do we have clips available?
23 Could I have Clip B, please?

24 Apparently, I have Clip B --

25 (Video Deposition Clip B begins mid-sentence)

1 A. -- worldwide futures business. I worked on the -- and
2 finally you guys acquired the futures business from ABN AMRO --
3 the worldwide futures business. I worked on the due diligence,
4 I worked on the preparation of our bid, although I didn't work
5 on the financial information, more a review -- quick review of
6 the aspects of it; how it would've impacted our firm. I worked
7 on the due diligence, supervised the due diligence and some
8 respects of our financial professionals. And was responsible
9 for the worldwide implantation from a finance standpoint of
10 bringing them onto our books and records.

11 (End Video Deposition Clip B)

12 MR. OXFORD: Next could I have Clip D, for dog?

13 (Video Deposition Clip D begins mid-sentence)

14 A. -- sometimes you may transfer the collateral that's in the
15 accounts already and then pay it back to the seller. Just as a
16 means to do it efficiently.

17 Q. And you -- if you were advising an entity, a seller, to
18 enter into that type of an arrangement, would you have
19 something written into an agreement somewhere to provide for a
20 true-up of that money?

21 A. I would have something that explained what I was
22 purchasing. And if I wasn't purchasing those assets, I might
23 have something in there saying I'll return them or else if I'm
24 not paying for them, I'd be obliged to return them. I've done
25 a deal before; we've moved those assets over and then paid them

1 back the next day. It was just the ease of moving it into the
2 process of moving -- the change from things over.

3 (End Video Deposition Clip D)

4 MR. OXFORD: Your Honor, I played that last clip in
5 particular in light of Mr. Raisler's appearance in this court
6 on Tuesday where Mr. Raisler testify as a lay witness in his
7 experience it would be 'complex and novel', I believe was his
8 phrase, for there to be a transaction in which only positions
9 and no margin were transferred from the seller to the
10 purchaser. And we don't think that is true. And Mr. McIsaac
11 who has experience on at least three transactions involving the
12 transfer derivatives positions says that he's got direct
13 experience of a transaction that he personally has done in
14 which exactly what Mr. Raisler says wouldn't happen, was novel
15 and complex, did happen. So it's for those reasons, Your
16 Honor, that we think Mr. McIsaac is qualified to come and
17 testify and be a counterpoint to Mr. Leitner should Mr. Leitner
18 come.

19 THE COURT: Okay, do you have more?

20 MR. OXFORD: I don't need to show any other clips but
21 just to remind the Court that these references are in our
22 papers.

23 Mr. Hume talked about Mr. McIsaac being unfamiliar
24 with certain key undisputed facts. And he said he did not take
25 them into account in his opinion. And for the reasons we

1 explain in our paper, that's not true. Mr. McIsaac clearly
2 does take into account what he believes are the relevant facts.
3 The fact that he disagrees with Barclays as to the weight to be
4 given to those facts and the fact that he reaches a different
5 conclusion from Barclays, the fact they don't like what he
6 says, is not a reason for excluding. I think even a cursory
7 review of Mr. McIsaac's report shows that he has a very
8 detailed review of the due diligence that Barclays did or could
9 have done that's in Section B to his report and he bases his
10 conclusions on that. So for those reasons, we think if
11 Barclays doesn't like his answers, if they criticisms, then
12 those are matters for cross-examination at trial, not
13 exclusion.

14 And that's all I have unless you're Court -- unless
15 the Court has other questions.

16 THE COURT: Okay, I just want to hear from Mr. Hume on
17 this discovery question although I don't want this to become a
18 discovery conference or debate. I want to -- I want to better
19 understand what materials, if any, from Deloitte, if I
20 understand that right, have not been turned over.

21 MR. HUME: And I wanted to rise to address just that
22 one issue too because I wanted to make sure there's no
23 disconnect in what was said here.

24 The argument I was making is Deloitte has access to
25 books and records of Lehman from before the closing on the

1 whole Lehman business. And it's those books and records that
2 are needed on all customers and all assets not all of which did
3 come to Barclays. So while we acquired the books and records
4 for the business we acquired, we technically did not acquire
5 and we don't have access to books and records relating to
6 customers and assets we did not acquire. You need the whole
7 thing to do a c3 calculation.

8 Mr. McIsaac, our allegation is, was essentially spoon-
9 fed the information. I don't mean to be too pejorative, but he
10 was given the information from Deloitte in order for him to
11 build his report and say there's this problem, this problem,
12 that problem. But he doesn't do a new calculation, he just
13 points out a bunch of problems that Deloitte told him. So we
14 don't know what Deloitte has to paint the whole picture. And
15 therefore we feel handicapped in that respect.

16 THE COURT: Have you been given the materials that Mr.
17 McIsaac was in -- was given by Deloitte upon which he based his
18 opinion?

19 MR. HUME: Yes, I assume so. I trust my colleague's
20 statement on that and so that's the disconnect I do want to
21 clear up.

22 THE COURT: Okay.

23 MR. HUME: I think that it -- technically I understand
24 what he's saying about the stipulation. I think it's a little
25 bit of a different situation because unlike just a normal

1 consultant who may review things not all of which is given to
2 the expert here the consultant really has unique access to
3 information that we don't have that's needed to do the
4 calculation.

5 I do want to make sure that -- I think the facts are,
6 as we both agree, our interpretation of what we're entitled to
7 is different.

8 THE COURT: All right and how is Barclay's prejudiced,
9 if at all, by virtue of the fact that certain unidentified
10 documents that Deloitte may have in its possession had not been
11 turned over to you if those documents were not documents that
12 Mr. McIsaac used in formulating his opinions?

13 MR. HUME: Because it would allow us to show what his
14 opinions are failing to take into account for a complete new
15 calculation. Our expert tells us he can't do a calculation
16 without all of the information. Our fact witness -- our fact
17 witness, Mr. Martini, who gave an affidavit and was deposed,
18 says we don't have access to all the information for the reason
19 I just explained. So to truly assess and recalculate the 15c3
20 requirement, which Mr. McIsaac has not done, we would need that
21 information. And to properly attack or cross-examine him we
22 would need to say we understand what you're saying about the
23 eight things Deloitte told you but you haven't taken into
24 account all of this stuff that frankly we don't know about
25 whether it would help us or hurt us but it would be needed to

1 paint the complete picture.

2 And in terms of asking for -- from my brief review of
3 the subpoenas, I think Mr. Oxford is correct. The way -- the
4 only we asked for it was part of our motion to compel for work
5 product broadly. So there -- I want to make sure I didn't
6 misstate anything on that.

7 Exhibit 16, that's our motion to compel, but it was a
8 broad motion to compel that we brought at the beginning of
9 trial. And that's technically the formal way we asked for it.
10 We had a broad subpoena to Deloitte as well, but.

11 THE COURT: All right.

12 MR. HUME: Thanks.

13 THE COURT: Does that take care of McIsaac?

14 MR. HUME: Yes, thank you.

15 THE COURT: All right. Okay, I'm going to endeavor to
16 rule on each of these motions in limine. The last one
17 involving Mr. McIsaac I may reserve on for at least the next --
18 take a ten-minute break after I give you my initial ruling and
19 provide you with my thoughts as to that separately.

20 I think I should note for the record that the motions
21 that have been filed by the parties have been very extensively
22 briefed included voluminous submissions of exhibits and
23 supplemental briefing including papers that were filed as
24 recently as a few weeks ago.

25 I understand that the motion as it relates to Harrison

1 Goldin has been withdrawn voluntarily and I received a letter
2 from Hughes Hubbard & Reed confirming that that motion in
3 limine is not longer before the Court.

4 Each of these motions arises under Rule 702 of the
5 Federal Rules of Evidence and that rule has been interpreted by
6 a Supreme Court case by the name of Daubert and by virtue of
7 that, motions under 702 are generally known as Daubert motions.
8 Fundamentally, motions of this sort seek to exclude from
9 evidence testimony provided by experts whose testimony is
10 fundamentally unreliable for a variety of reasons. The rule
11 itself reads, "If scientific, technical or other specialized
12 knowledge will assist the trier of fact to understand the
13 evidence or to determine a fact in issue, a witness qualified
14 as an expert by knowledge, skill, experience, training or
15 education may testify thereto in the form of an opinion or
16 otherwise."

17 And the rule continues, and I won't read every word of
18 it, but for purposes of the Daubert motion, one of the key
19 words in the rule is that the testimony of the witness be
20 'reliable'. It is very difficult for a trial court judge
21 sitting as a Daubert gatekeeper to identify in advance of
22 hearing any actual testimony from a witness whether or not that
23 testimony will be valuable to the finder of fact and ultimately
24 reliable testimony. So Daubert motions are, at least in my
25 experience, frequently brought, as I believe they were brought

1 in these cases, to test in advance the reliability of evidence
2 and to give the Court a preview not only of the strength of the
3 testimony that might be offered but, more to the point, the
4 weaknesses of that testimony.

5 I believe for that reason that the Daubert motions
6 that I have seen, and they were all quite well done, more
7 likely than not were filed the view not toward prevailing but
8 toward educating the bench as to some of the infirmities in the
9 evidence to be presented during the expert phase of the case.

10 That's not to say that anybody who filed a motion had
11 any lack of faith as to the merits but I believe that the
12 general rule is that Daubert motions, except in very clear
13 cases, are rarely granted. This case is no exception.

14 The Court has before it a number of related motions in
15 limine that seek to exclude certain witnesses from testifying
16 during the expert phase of this very protracted trial under
17 Rule 60(b). With the exception of the McIsaac motion which I'm
18 reserving on for the moment, all of the motions that I heard
19 this morning are denied. That's good news and bad news for
20 everybody.

21 The Court believes that valuation testimony from the
22 movants' witnesses assembled under the auspices of the Chicago
23 consulting firm, Navigant, would be useful. And any issues
24 identified by Barclays concerning the reliability or
25 consistency of methods used by individual witnesses, such as

1 Mr. Slattery, can be tested during cross-examination of Mr.
2 Slattery and all of the other witnesses who are the subject of
3 this motion.

4 As for the legal arguments made by Barclays, the Court
5 reserves judgment at this time as to the efficacy of those
6 arguments and as to the ultimate relevance of the valuation
7 evidence to be presented. The Court does note that
8 considerable evidence regarding valuation, including evidence
9 relating to the acquisition balance sheet, already has been
10 presented during the trial and as a result, the Court believes
11 that movants should the opportunity to fully present their case
12 regarding the reasonableness of that accounting treatment by
13 Barclays.

14 The Court expects to be able to allocate appropriate
15 weight to the testimony in light of questions raised regarding
16 methodology and, most importantly, reliability. In effect, I
17 always have the ability to discount testimony and for those of
18 you who are familiar with my decision in Iridium, recognize
19 that I have done that as to witnesses who have testified and I
20 don't need a Daubert motion to determine whether or not a
21 particular expert is credible and whether or not I should rely
22 on that expert's testimony.

23 That reference to Iridium brings me to Professor Paul
24 Pfleiderer. Professor Pfleiderer, as I think everybody knows
25 in this courtroom, was qualified as an expert during the

1 Iridium trial a number of years ago. My prior experience with
2 that witness was a positive experience but that in no way
3 influences the current decision to permit him to testify. He
4 is without doubt a qualified expert but the movants will have a
5 full opportunity by means of their questioning to challenge his
6 methods and to point out whether his experience is actually
7 relevant experience that fits the matters in controversy in
8 this case.

9 Now I'm going to take a few moments that think about
10 McIsaac and I will come back. So let's take a -- let's take a
11 fifteen-minute break. Do you wish to say something?

12 MR. SCHILLER: If it's of any help to the Court, we do
13 not plan on doing anything further today, Judge.

14 THE COURT: You do not --

15 MR. SCHILLER: We won't be presenting video after Your
16 Honor's ruling on McIsaac today; we'll wait until the 20th. I
17 just wanted Your Honor to know we talked with Mr. Gaffey about
18 it.

19 THE COURT: That's terrific because I wasn't planning
20 to observe any video today.

21 (Laughter)

22 (Recess from 2:41 p.m. until 3:01 p.m.)

23 THE COURT: Be seated, please. I'm going to
24 incorporate by reference into the McIsaac ruling the things
25 that I said just before the break. But this ruling is slightly

1 different. It seems to me that the objection in respect of Mr.
2 McIsaac's expertise in the area of exchange-traded derivatives
3 raises a reasonable question in my mind as to his expertise in
4 this area.

5 I am not comfortable excluding his testimony based on
6 the current record. I recognize that it is likely that he will
7 be called, although I am not predicting to a certainty that
8 he'll be called, as an expert on the subject of 15c3-3. To the
9 extent that he is called as an expert witness in that area, I
10 have no concerns as to his expertise both in respect of his
11 apparently not knowing all that much about SIPA and questions
12 concerning the turning over of documents from Deloitte. Those
13 two subject matters are matters that don't concern me in terms
14 of this Daubert motion. But I say that without prejudice to
15 Barclays' rights if they choose to exercise them further to
16 seek to obtain additional discovery.

17 I do have concern, however, that I don't have
18 sufficient information yet to decide the question of Rule 702
19 expertise in the area of exchange-traded derivatives and
20 believe that there should be an opportunity to voir dire Mr.
21 McIsaac on that subject at the time of his testimony. I'd like
22 to have an opportunity to see more than just the snippets of
23 deposition testimony that I have seen in submissions and played
24 live today.

25 I don't know what he did in connection with the

1 various transactions that were referenced. I don't know to
2 what extent he may have other experience in the area of
3 exchange-traded derivatives nor do I understand what it means
4 when he says that he doesn't have expertise in the area of
5 risk. I don't know if that's an acknowledgment that
6 effectively undermines his expertise or if he was talking about
7 something else altogether unrelated to margin. If it relates
8 directly to margin, it's probably a disqualifying comment. But
9 it may not be.

10 So it's a mixed bag as it relates to McIsaac. The
11 motion is denied in terms of disqualification from testifying
12 but all rights are reserved with respect to his ability to
13 testify as an expert on the subject of exchange-traded
14 derivatives.

15 That takes care of all these motions. And now I'd
16 like to say a few words in acknowledgment of my law clerk,
17 David Meskov, who is leaving chambers to go on a life adventure
18 and I hope to see him in good shape about a year from now. I
19 want to thank him publicly for his good service and it's been a
20 pleasure to work with him.

21 As far as our schedule is concerned, our next
22 scheduled trial date is September 20th at 9:30. And we're in
23 the expert phase so one of my questions is, if you can tell me,
24 what should I be expecting when next I see you?

25 MR. TAMBE: Your Honor, on the 20th you would

1 certainly expect to see Professor Zmijewski. We will start off
2 the -- we will start off the expert phase with Professor
3 Zmijewski.

4 THE COURT: Okay, and will that be a whole day?

5 MR. TAMBE: I think it will be most of the day. If --
6 as we prepare to present him, if we think we can get started on
7 another expert on the 20th itself, we will let the Court know.
8 We will certainly let counsel know by Monday, a week in advance
9 of the hearing date. And we'll let the Court know as well.

10 THE COURT: Okay, that week we have the 20th, the 21st
11 and the 24th. There are some issues involving my schedule the
12 following week which is the week of the September 27th. I need
13 to be away the night of September 28th. And I don't come back
14 until roughly the early afternoon on the 29th. For scheduling
15 purposes, while it will potentially be disruptive to the flow
16 of testimony I could see you on the 28th but I'd have to leave
17 by 11 a.m. I don't know if you want an hour and half of time
18 but that's a possibility.

19 On the 29th I won't be back until probably 2 o'clock
20 in the afternoon. I could give you, just to be on the safe
21 side, assuming I could get all of the court's services that I
22 require, a late session from say 3 to 6 if you wanted three
23 hours of time that day. And you can think about that and let
24 my chambers know what you prefer.

25 MR. SCHILLER: Your Honor, if I may address the Court

1 on the fact that we are -- not completed our fact case. We --
2 as I mentioned the other day, we have some video deposition and
3 we're considering calling a live witness and we'll notify
4 movants on Monday. If Your Honor prefers that we wait until
5 the expert phase is done and I'm asking whether we do it first
6 thing on the 20th.

7 THE COURT: Oh, you can do it in any way that you
8 think is sensible. Ordinarily we would complete the fact phase
9 before going into the expert phase in any case and I can alter
10 the order to suit the convenience of the parties and witnesses
11 so it doesn't need to be with a bright line. But if you and
12 counsel for the movants consider it appropriate to start on
13 Monday morning the 20th with the rest of your fact case as
14 opposed to starting with an expert, that's fine. Or if you
15 want to fit that testimony into the odd days that I have just
16 identified if that works and would allow for use of that time
17 effectively, that's also a possible way to go.

18 MR. SCHILLER: We'll discuss that and we'll advise the
19 Court next week. The only other scheduling issue that I know
20 we'd agreed and probably failed to tell the Court is that the
21 24th, the parties do not plan to come before Your Honor on that
22 day.

23 THE COURT: Oh, I think I did know that but neglected
24 to scratch it off my list.

25 MR. SCHILLER: Thank you, Judge.

1 MR. GAFFEY: Just I think I can clear one thing up
2 now, Your Honor. With regard to the 20th, I'd actually prefer
3 that we -- because it's scheduling experts and that's yet
4 another clock running. If we could know we're doing the
5 experts starting on the 20th and then fit in these other little
6 fact pieces, the two videos and the -- or the videos and the
7 other witness in those smaller points, I think we can agree to
8 that now.

9 MR. SCHILLER: Okay, well, we'll talk about it and let
10 the judge know.

11 MR. GAFFEY: Okay?

12 THE COURT: Why don't you talk about it; you can let
13 my chambers know.

14 MR. GAFFEY: We will, Your Honor.

15 THE COURT: Okay, meanwhile enjoy the weekend.

16 IN UNISON: Thank you, Judge.

17 (Whereupon these proceedings were concluded at 3:10 p.m.)
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